

RECRUITING FOR ARMY AND THE NAVY

Registration day did not have any appreciable effect on the recruiting locally. Officers from the National Guard were at many of the precinct booths, but their efforts in this direction were only moderately successful. Four applicants were enlisted yesterday.

This morning at 9 o'clock at the Westford street armory 63 "rookies" went through their first drill in accordance with orders which were recently issued. The drill lasted until noon and was under the direction of the officers who are stationed here. The simple military commands were explained to the men including the position of a soldier, military salutes, courtesy, etc. These drills will continue twice daily, from 9 to 12 in the morning and 2 to 5 in the afternoon.

A recruiting booth was erected on the Lakeview avenue show grounds this morning, and officers will be stationed there at all times to explain anything to would-be soldiers. A tent of the down town streets will also be made this evening.

There were four applicants at the regular army recruiting station in Central street yesterday, and the following men were enrolled: Anthony Zeglis, 55 Tyler street; William Dube, 7 Deerfield street; Stanislaw Pachnowicz, 58 Tyler street; and Arment P. LaFrance, 6 Eaglecourt street.

Naval Recruiting Station

It was announced at the naval recruiting station in Merrimack square this morning that 30 young men have enlisted recently as apprentice seamen would be sent directly to the training station at Newport, R. I., on next Friday morning. The men will march from the station in Merrimack

DYS-PEP-LETS WILL DO

A WHOLE LOT FOR YOU

When your stomach seems to be on a strike, and undigested food is fermenting, and you have heartburn, nausea, belching of gas, acid eructations and other disagreeable symptoms of indigestion. They will set things to rights for you and give you prompt relief.

Dys-pep-lets are pleasant to take and greenable in action. Made by Hood and therefore good—an elegant product of up-to-date pharmacy. Get a bottle of your druggist today. Price, 25c or 31c in aluminum pocket box, 10c.

APPLETON COMPANY

DIVIDEND NO. 134

A dividend of five per cent and three per cent extra will be payable at the office of the treasurer, 50 Congress st., June 15th, to stockholders of record at the close of business this day.

A. G. CUMMINGS, Treasurer.

Boston, June 5, 1917.

Basket of Flowers 50c

We have made up a number of Baskets of Flowers well worth \$1.25 each. Our special price for this week 50 cents.

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square, headed by a band. Mayor O'Donnell will be asked to be present, and it is expected that a large number of people will be on hand to give the boys who were not slackers a rousing send-off. The men will leave the Middlesex street station on the 11.05 train. Following is a list of names of the men who will be in this contingent:

Henry Lewis Grand, 1 West 11th st., Lowell, Mass.
Walter Anthony Reagan, 95 Cushing st., Lowell, Mass.
Francis Joseph Reagan, 75 Cushing st., Lowell, Mass.

John Leo McPolin, 11 Worthen st., Lowell, Mass.

Joseph Ernest Bourque, 34 Rock st., Lowell, Mass.

Joseph Duxbury Pickles, 145 Merrimack st., Lowell, Mass.

Charles David Rosenfeld, 45 Apple st., Lowell, Mass.

Michael Timothy Fitzpatrick, 3 Irving st., Lowell, Mass.

John Joseph Lovell, 103 Ennell st., Lowell, Mass.

Louis John Turner, 32 Saratoga st., Lowell, Mass.

Reynolds Willard Whittemore, 81 Bowers st., Nahua, N. H.

Harold Henry Whittemore, 81 Bowers st., Nahua, N. H.

Henry Aloysius Lagasse, 15 Water st., Lawrence, Mass.

Joseph Trickett, 142 Water st., Lawrence, Mass.

Richard Edward Harlitz, 25 Fisher st., Lowell, Mass.

Thomas Francis McCabe, 33 Lundberg st., Lowell, Mass.

Fred Francis Leo Cushing, 13 Bradford st., Forge Village, Mass.

Bernard Michael McCabe, 47 Willow st., Lowell, Mass.

James Francis Brosnan, 605 High st., Lowell, Mass.

Frank Henry Spencer, 35 North Main st., No. Andover, Mass.

Percy Raymond Naden, 91 Maple ave., No. Andover, Mass.

Joseph Rosario Robillard, 16 James st., Lowell, Mass.

John Andrew Quinn, 112 Strumquist ave., Lowell, Mass.

Fred Wilkinson, 8 Granite st., Methuen, Mass.

Alexis Ducharme, 67 Farmland road, Lowell, Mass.

William Chester Curren, 70 Union st., North Andover, Mass.

Joseph Maria Robillard, 16 James st., Lowell, Mass.

Richard E. E. John, 54 Jackson st., Lawrence, Mass.

Frank Joseph Sullivan, 35 Tarbell st., East Pepperell, Mass.

William Henry Gallagher, 462 Fletcher st., Lowell, Mass.

Recruiting Posters

The officers in charge of the naval station would like to get in touch with the owners of vacant stores about the city in order to have the navy recruiting posters put in the windows.

The posters are quite artistic and property owners can "do their bit" by having them displayed.

The following young men have recently signed their intentions of entering the navy:

Ernest F. Colbath, Harry Castle, Jr., Howard B. Green, Theophile Lafeviere, Charles M. Collins, Mark J. Gallagher, Andrew J. Finnigan, Richard B. Simpson, Walter Wilkinson, Thomas F. Buckley, Walter Williams, Milton D. Coolidge, Ralph S. Boyd, Robert C. Clark, William J. Moore, John M. Connolly, A. J. Cody, Harold C. Lord, Leonard C. Johnson, Edward L. Cadden, Edward P. Sheehy, Albert Flory, George J. Francis, Arthur F. Mulrennan, William A. Burke, George V. Labonte.

New Lowell Battery

Battery B held its usual drill at the Westford street armory last evening, and plans for the dance which is to be held the 15th of the present month were discussed. Governor McCain has been invited to be present and several other

officials, including Mayor O'Donnell, will attend. Tickets are going rapidly, and a cap and gown will be required for the fund which the battery is raising for its equipment.

The battery will parade on Flag day, June 14.

FOUR GERMAN AIRPLANES DESTROYED BY BRITISH

LONDON, June 5, 2.35 p. m.—Four of the German airplanes returning from yesterday's raid over England were destroyed by British pilots, it is announced officially.

One British pilot who pursued the Germans toward Dunkirk brought down two of the raiders. Later ten British machines from Dunkirk engaged the returning Germans, destroying two of their machines and forcing down four.

Sixteen German airplanes took part in the raid over Essex and Kent, dropping bombs which killed two persons and injured 23. Two German airplanes were brought down by British anti-aircraft guns while the raid was in progress.

MATRIMONIAL

Miss Margaret Adella Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thompson, and Mr. Chester Morrill Rannels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rannels, were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, 121 School street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William F. English Jr., pastor of the Kirk Street Congregational church, assisted by Rev. William A. Bartlett, D. D., of Lewiston, Me.

Mr. Rannels was attended by his brother, Mr. Ralph E. Rannels, and the bride's attendants were Miss Miriam M. Thompson, the maid of honor, Miss Mildred L. Bailey of Salem, N. Y., Miss Hilda M. Berry of Hamilton, N. Y., Miss Eleanor M. Brown of Brookline, Miss Hazel Hanchett of Lowell, Miss Julia K. Kingsley of Birmingham, N. Y., Miss Mary L. Kniffel of Friendship, N. Y., Mr. Ralph E. Rannels of Lowell, Miss Marion Simpson of Lowell, Mrs. Richard H. Webster (Doris Bartlett) of Newton, and Miss Emily Wiggins of Lowell.

After the ceremony a reception took place and more than 60 guests were present. The ushers were Mr. William Angus of Jacksonville, Fla., Mr. Waldo Brown of Brookline, Mr. George Nixon of Leominster, Mr. Samuel F. Wright of Chelmsford and Mr. Richard H. Wheeler of Newton.

Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Rannels departed on their wedding tour. They will live temporarily at 303 Baynes street, Buffalo, N. Y.

DYAM—Samborn
Miss Bertha Lydia Samborn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren F. Samborn, 230 Main street, and Mr. Arthur Waldo Byam of Fitzwilliam, N. H., were married at the home of the bride on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Charles Newton Morris, D. D., of Amesbury, a personal friend of the couple, performed the ceremony.

Miss Josephine Dows played the wedding march, and a reception followed the wedding. Many friends from out of town are present.

After a wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Byam will live in Fitzwilliam, N. H.

Walsh—Moore
A pretty wedding took place Monday afternoon when Mr. Frank L. Walsh of the Boston and Maine Railroad, and Miss Elva B. Moore of the United States Cartridge company office force, were married at the home of the bridegroom, 67 Lundberg street, by Rev. R. Shaw of St. Anne's church. The best man was Mr. Fred W. Dunclee, and the bridesmaid, Miss Bertha Dunclee. After a trip to New

Brunswick the couple will make their home at 42 Lundberg street.

Dunlavy—O'Keefe
The church of the Immaculate Conception was the scene of a pretty June wedding this morning, when Mr. Thomas F. Dunlavy and Miss Mary O'Keefe were united in marriage at a nuptial mass, at 8 o'clock, celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O.M.

The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of Georgette crepe, with trimmings of pearl and she carried lilacs of the valley.

She was attended by her niece, Miss May Sullivan, who wore a gown of blue tulle trimmed with duchess lace and carried a bouquet of Killarney roses. Mr. James Lane was best man.

At the close of the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the bride's home, 168 Shaw st. to immediate relatives and friends by the D. L. Page Co., after which Mr. and Mrs. Dunlavy left on a honeymoon trip to New York, Washington and Philadelphia. They will be at home to friends at 168 Shaw street, after July 1.

The happy couple were the recipients of many costly wedding gifts.

Twitshel—McDermott
A pretty wedding took place this morning when George Twitshel and Miss Dorothy McDermott were married, the ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at the Immaculate Conception rectory. The bride wore white net with bridal veil and carried lilacs of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret McDermott, who was attired in blue crepe de chine and carried sweet peas. Harry Joyce of Harvard college acted as best man. During the mass an exceptionally pleasing program was given, those sustaining the solos being Mrs. Sarah Cox, Miss Haggerty, Miss Burns, Miss Curtin and Miss Desmond. Miss Minnie Davey presided at the organ. At the close of the ceremony the bride party repaired to the home of the bride, 22 Fort Hill avenue, where a wedding breakfast was served. The happy couple left this afternoon on an extended wedding trip to the Berkshire hills, and after July 6 they will be at home to their friends at 22 Humphrey street.

SUN BREVITIES

Best Printing. Tobin's. Asso. Bldg. Fog beans for seed or baking, 32 peck. J. B. Cover & Co., 150 Middle st.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William B. Goodwin of 11 Chestnut street, on Monday, June 4th.

Florence E. Turner, of this city, received a diploma yesterday in the department of designing at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston.

Lowell was "bone dry" yesterday even to the drinking fountain at Monument square, the lid being on that. This prohibition business is far reaching.

Herb E. Webster, Jr., who has been with the Kinkadee Kilties for the past four seasons, is visiting his friends in this city for a few days, while playing an engagement in Lawrence.

Patrick Keefe, aged 34 years, and residing at 87 Moore street, was seized with a shock at the corner of Gorham and South Highland streets and removed to St. John's hospital, where he was in a semi-conscious condition at the time of going to press.

Mrs. Gladys Whiting of Braintree, who received a fracture of the skull as a result of being struck by an automobile on the Lawrence-Lowell boulevard Friday afternoon, is slightly improved, according to reports from St. John's hospital.

The employees of the A. G. Pollard company held a flag raising Thursday noon at 12.15. The flag will be unfurled from the roof of the building. This event will have a double significance in that it will show the patriotism of the company and its employees and also will inaugurate the beginning of the Thursday half-holidays for the coming summer.

Before taking your train home from Boston get The Sun at either newsstand in the North station.

SUMMER HALF HOLIDAYS START TOMORROW

Store closes at 12 o'clock Thursdays, June, July, August and September.



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Special Showing and Sale of

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The new fabric Silverbloom is one of the most practical Summer fabrics on the market for separate Skirts, Suits or Blouses for Ladies and Children's wear.

Being a combination of Sea Island Cotton and Turkish Mohair, it is absolutely fast colors, will launder perfectly and does not wrinkle.

Comes in a full line of beautiful Spring colorings, mostly stripes, with plain colors to match. See window display of these fabrics. Specially priced at 69c Yard

THIS MORNING WE OPEN A SALE OF

Children's Wool Coats

6 to 14 years sizes. Coats in all the new shades at tremendous reductions. Come early.

ONE HUNDRED COATS ON SALE

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Coats, All Shades

SALE PRICE

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Children's Coats

Sample Coats—One of a Kind. Sale Price

\$7.98

All other Children's Coats at equal reductions. You know the kind of Coats we carry. These are real bargains.



GRADUATION DRESS STOLEN
Sergeant David Petrie and Special Officer Frank Moore yesterday recovered a graduation dress which belonged to a girl who is to graduate from one of the grammar schools this month. The mother of the girl made the dress, which was valued at \$18.75, respectively of labor in making it, and on Monday afternoon, while the house was locked, the dress was taken and sold it to a girl who is to graduate from one of the grammar schools this month. The police and yesterday the latter found that a neighbor had entered the house, taken the dress and sold it to a girl who is to graduate from one of the grammar schools this month.

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Serge Dresses TO CLOSE OUT
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Wrappers
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We Are Going to Make the Half Day Count for a Whole Day

TO DO THIS

We Are Offering Special Values Thursday Morning

Every Woman Should Take Advantage of These Bargains

BLOUSE SHOP

Here We Offer for

59c

Lingerie Waists which have regularly sold for 1.00

Other Specials are Crepe de Chine Blouses, regularly \$2.95 2.27
Jap Silk Blouses, fancy collars, regularly \$1.95, 1.69

DRESS SHOP

Striped Silk Dresses

7.50

These are of fine striped silk with Georgette crepe sleeves, new and are valued at \$18.50.

CORSET SHOP

For Thursday Morning

P. N. Corsets, regularly \$3.50 2.90

SUIT SHOP

By Purchasing Your

SUIT Thursday Morn-

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To any woman who purchases a suit for \$15.00 or over we will give a discount of \$5.00—an absolute saving.

BOYS' SHOP

BOYS' \$1.25 LINED KNICKERS, made of good wearing wool (weave mixtures), seams reinforced; cut full; sizes 8 to 15, with watch pocket.

Thursday Morning .77

BOYS' \$4.00 ALL WOOL REEFERS AND TOP COATS in blue serge, Shepherd checks and mixtures; patch pockets, belted models, sizes 2 1/2 to 8.

Thursday Morning 2.77

LITTLE TOTS' 75c CHAMBRAY WASH DRESS—Pretty high waisted models made with pockets, sizes 2 to 6 years.

Thursday Morning .37

MISSES' AND GIRLS' SHOP

MISSES' and JUNIORS' \$12.50 ALL WOOL COATS in gabardine, mannish serge and velours; sizes 13 to 18. New models in green, navy and mustard.

Thursday Morning 7.77

GIRLS' \$6.00 ALL WOOL SAMPLE COATS in serge and Shepherd and velour checks and mixtures; sizes 6 to 14 years.

Thursday Morning 3.77

GIRLS' \$1.25 DRESSES in gingham, chambray and poplins; smocked dresses for the little miss, sizes 2 to 14.

Thursday Morning .67

SHOULD BE MEDICAL OFFICER IN CABINET

NEW YORK, June 6.—The United States should in the near future have a medical officer in the president's cabinet, in the opinion of Dr. Charles H. Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., as expressed last night in an address before the annual meeting here of the American Medical Association, of which he is president. In his address Dr. Mayo asserted that, in the present war, the medical service has assumed an importance such as it never has before.

"The old army hospital gangrene is a thing of the past," declared Dr. Mayo. "A knowledge of the care of infections, prevention of tetanus, vaccination for smallpox and typhoid, the cause and prevention of typhus, the plague and fever of cholera, the plague and fevers of all sorts, including the new trench form, is a training requirement of the army medical officer, and results in the restoration to duty of a high percentage of the injured."

"We must add in all that will elevate the general standard of, and conserve, the American citizen. Prohibition is a war measure the value of which is beyond discussion. Medicine has reached a period when alcohol is rarely employed as a drug, being displaced by better remedies. Alcohol's only place now is in the arts and sciences. National prohibition would be welcomed by the medical profession."

"The benefit to our country after the present war in having some thousands of medical officers trained in sanitation, hygiene and the prevention of disease will be incalculable. Through lax examinations of recruits and the natural effects of prolonged life and overcrowding in trenches and underground structures, tuberculosis will become a menace to our soldiers, as it is today in France."

"It is most fortunate that our army medical service is in the hands of three of our ablest men, Surgeons-General Gorgas, Brastard and Blue, and we must lend the work of the general medical council under the able directorship of Dr. Franklin Martin."

"Medical men, your country needs you now and always. You must be different—but satisfactory."

Indigestion causes worry, sick headaches, biliousness, bad breath and constant distress. Write, McAlister, Raleigh, Ga., writes: Foley Cathartic Tablets cleanse my system thoroughly and do not gripe or hurt at all. I find them entirely satisfactory and wonderfully different and more pleasant than any other pill. Falls & Burklshaw, 418 Middlesex st., Moody's Drug Store, 301 Central st.

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member that the state is permanent and does not exist for the good of the individual but that the individual exists for the good of the state." Asserting that American army medical officers stand pre-eminent in science Dr. Mayo reviewed some of their most notable achievements, such as the discovery of the pneumococcus by Surgeon-General Sternberg, founder of the Army Medical School and the government laboratories of bacteriology and hygiene; the discovery by Major Walter Reed, James Carroll, J. S. W. Lazear and Aristide Agramonte of a method of controlling yellow fever; and the work of Surgeon-General Gorgas in ridding Havana and the Panama canal zone of that disease.

BRITISH BEAT OFF AIR RAID--2 PLANES LOST

LONDON, June 6.—Sixteen German airplanes came over the North sea last evening and dropped many bombs on the small towns and villages in Essex and Kent. Only 14 of them returned to their home base, for two were brought down by British guns. So far as late reports show only two persons were killed and 23 injured in the bombarded districts. The raiders met with a lively reception, extra precautions having been taken by the British authorities after the recent very serious raid on the southeast coast of England, in which 250 persons were killed or wounded.

The Germans were attacked by British aviators before they had an opportunity to carry out their raiding intentions to any great extent and the British anti-aircraft guns were very effective.

The official statement says: "An airplane raid this evening was carried out by a squadron of about 16 airplanes. They crossed the Essex coast at about 6.15 and dropped some bombs in the country and on small towns in Essex and then proceeded to attack the naval establishments in Medway."

"A considerable number of bombs were dropped and a certain amount of damage was done to house property, but the damage done naval and military establishments was practically negligible."

"The raiding airplanes were engaged by gunfire and pursued by aircraft. After having lost two machines they made off seaward."

"The casualties so far reported are two killed, two dangerously wounded and 27 wounded."

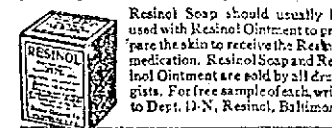
According to a local report the pilot and observer of one of the air raiders brought down were rescued at sea and made prisoners. "Warnings sirens were sounded at some places prior to the raid and most of the people took to shelters. The small number of casualties is attributed to this precaution."

Persons arriving in London from the raided area state that ample warning of the approach of the raiders was given and that British airmen were pulling before the enemy reached the coast.



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Resinol Soap should usually be used with Resinol Ointment to prepare the skin to receive the Resinol medication. Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment are sold by all druggists. For free sample of each, write to Dept. D-N, Resinol, Baltimore.

RINGLING'S BIG CIRCUS COMING JUNE 13

"Cinderella," best-loved of fairy stories, is this season's spectacle feature with the Ringling's Brothers' circus. The production is said to be the biggest thing of its kind ever produced under canvas. The gigantic pantomime was rehearsed for two months prior to its initial presentation. It then opened the program during the Ringling engagement at the Coliseum in Chicago this spring, where it delighted children and grownups for seven consecutive performances. "Cinderella" and the entire arena program is to be given at the Fair Grounds on Wednesday, June 13 exactly as it was produced in Chicago's great convention building. The lighting and mechanical effects surpass those of a Wagnerian production. Most beautiful of the many scenes is that in which the entire fairy band numbering hundreds of woodland sprites give their wonderful "Dance of the Flowers." The fairyland atmosphere has been preserved throughout, even to the handsome paintings which adorn the mammoth curtain that falls and rises before the great stage. The stage itself is by far the largest ever constructed. Fifty-two mechanics are required to move the scenery and operate the mechanical devices during the progress of the dramatic action. The costumes total almost 5000 and are as beautiful as the name "Cinderella" would suggest.



CAESAR, THE CHIMPANZEE With a Human Brain, Coming to Lowell with Ringling's Circus

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GOV. McCALL PROCLAIMS JUNE 14 AS FLAG DAY

BOSTON, June 6.—"At no time in our history has the flag meant more to us than today," declares Gov. McCall in the Flag day proclamation issued by him yesterday. The governor's official proclamation is given as follows:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
By His Excellency Samuel W. McCall
A PROCLAMATION
FLAG DAY

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 233 of the Acts and Resolves of 1911 I hereby set apart June 14, 1917, as Flag day, and make proclamation that the day be properly observed by the schools, churches and other organizations and the people of the Commonwealth in every way that shall be in keeping with the purposes of the day.

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15 DOZEN FRESH NEW SPRING WAISTS, \$1.25 values..... **85c**
40 GEORGETTE CREPE WAISTS, \$7.50 values..... **\$4.49**

127 ODD LINGERIE WAISTS, \$2.00 values..... **79c**
25 NOVELTY SILK TAFFETA SKIRTS, \$5 values. Choice THURSDAY A. M. ONLY **\$4.49**
60 POPLIN and SERGE SKIRTS, sold to \$7.50. Choice.... **\$5.00** THURSDAY A. M. ONLY



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32 White Voile Dresses, \$8 values, **\$5.00**

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50 Linene Auto Coats, regular price \$3.98..... **\$2.98**
\$8.00 Silk Poplin Dresses..... **\$5.00**
20 Dozen Children's New Gingham Dresses, \$1.25 value..... **69c**
50 House Dresses, 79c values..... **19c**

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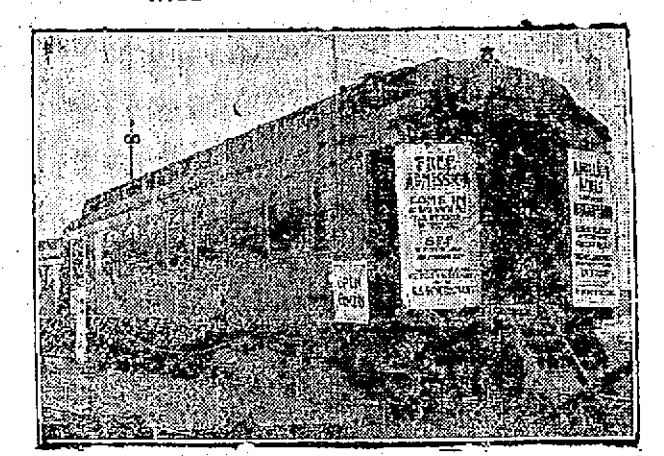
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GOV. McCALL PROCLAIMS JUNE 14 AS FLAG DAY

BOSTON, June 6.—"At no time in our history has the flag meant more to us than today," declares Gov. McCall in the Flag day proclamation issued by him yesterday. The governor's official proclamation is given as follows:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
By His Excellency Samuel W. McCall
A PROCLAMATION
FLAG DAY

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 233 of the Acts and Resolves of 1911 I hereby set apart June 14, 1917, as Flag day, and make proclamation that the day be properly observed by the schools, churches and other organizations and the people of the Commonwealth in every way that shall be in keeping with the purposes of the day.

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FRANCE'S PEACE CONDITIONS

PARIS, June 5.—By a vote of 453 to 55 the chamber of deputies, in secret session, has adopted a resolution declaring that peace conditions must include the liberation of territories occupied by Germany, the return of Alsace-Lorraine to France and just reparation for damage done in the invaded regions. The resolution, which was accepted by the government, also favors the creation of a league of nations for the maintenance of peace.

The secret session, which was adjourned from Saturday, continued all yesterday afternoon and evening until midnight.

The resolution, which was accepted by the government, reads: "The chamber of deputies, the direct expression of the sovereignty of the French people, salutes the Russian and other allied democracies and endorses the unanimous protest which the representatives of Alsace-Lorraine, torn from France against their will, have made to the national assembly. It declares that it expects from the war imposed upon Europe by the aggression of imperialist Germany, the return of Alsace-Lorraine to the mother country, together with liberation of invaded territories and just reparation for damage."

"Far removed from all thoughts of conquest and enslavement, it expects that the efforts of the armies of the republic and her allies will secure."

once Prussian militarism is destroyed, durable guarantees for peace and independence for peoples, great and small, in a league of nations such as already has been foreshadowed.

"Confident that the government will bring this about by the co-ordinated military and diplomatic action of all the allies and rejecting all amendments, the chamber passes to the order of the day."

HOY SCOUT FARM
For the next four months the Boy Scouts of Lowell will combine their usual summer camping activities with very practical work, the work of cultivating about 12 acres of land on the Coburn farm in Dracut. The land has been carefully prepared for planting, and in a few days the first contingent of 50 scouts will pitch camp near the farm and start the potatoes, beans, etc., on their way to growth.

The farming work will be under the guidance of an expert, a cook will look after the boys' inward longings, and everything possible will be done to safeguard and make comfortable the scouts who attend. The boys will be paid for the farm work that they do, and practical instruction in scouting will also be given. There is still room for many more boys to enroll and do their bit, while spending an excellent summer vacation.

SOCIALISTIC CONFERENCE
PARIS, June 5.—The socialistic conference in Stockholm will form the subject of debate in the senate today. Interpellations have been announced by several senators. Premier Ribot asked for an extraordinary sitting today as he said the government wished to explain its position to the senate as soon as possible.

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ST. LOUIS RALLIED AND THE BRAVES LOST

ST. LOUIS, June 6.—St. Louis rallied in the 11th inning yesterday and knocked out Boston, 3 to 2. In this inning, J. Smith, Miller and Hornsby singled, J. Smith scoring. St. Louis took the lead in the second on a single, a double, a wild pitch and an out. Boston tied the score in the sixth on Wilhoit's double and two infield outs. The score:

ST. LOUIS	ab	r	h	po	a	e
J. Smith	5	1	1	3	1	0
Gonzales, 1b	5	0	0	10	0	0
Miller, 2b	5	0	1	6	0	0
Hornsby, ss	5	1	2	2	1	1
Cruise, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Long, rf	4	0	0	2	2	0
Snyder, c	4	0	0	2	1	0
F. Smith, 3b	4	0	2	1	2	0
Meadows, p	3	0	0	3	0	0

Totals	33	3	9	33	22	1
BOSTON	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Twombly, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Evans, 2b	4	0	1	2	4	1
Wilhoit, lf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Nagie, rf	5	0	1	0	0	0
Konetchy, 1b	5	0	1	0	0	0
J. C. Smith, 3b	5	0	1	1	0	0
Tragesser, c	4	0	0	2	0	0
Rawlings, ss	3	0	1	3	10	0
Tyler, p	1	0	1	0	0	0
Masey	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ragan, p	3	0	0	0	2	0

Totals 33 2 3 31 19 1
One out when winning run scored.
St. Louis 3 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3
Boston 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2
Two-base hits: Cruise, Wilhoit.
Three-base hits: J. C. Smith. Sacrifice

hits: Twombly, Meadows. Double plays: Evans to Rawlings to Konetchy; J. Smith to Gonzales. Left on bases: Boston 7; St. Louis 6. First on errors: Boston 1; St. Louis 1. Bases on balls: Off Tyler 1; off Meadows 2. Hits and earned runs: Off Tyler, 3 and 2 in 2 innings; off Ragan, 6 and 1 in 3-4 innings; off Meadows, 8 and 2 in 11 innings. Struck out: By Ragan 1; by Meadows 1. Wild pitch: Tyler. Umpires: O'Day and Harrison. Time: 2:05.

Cincinnati 6, New York 3
CINCINNATI, June 6.—Cincinnati took the first game of the series from New York here yesterday, 6 to 3. The victors made a run in the first and third innings without getting a hit. The local team was one run behind when they came to bat in the eighth inning. Shean singled. Mitchell doubled when Kaut fell down, allowing the ball to go over his head. Shean being held at third. Groh then fled to Burns, who misjudged the ball and when Burns turned to get it he fell and it went for a double, both Shean and Mitchell scoring. The score:

Cincinnati	10	0	2	1	0	0	2	—6	12
New York	10	1	0	0	0	2	1	—5	51

Schneider, Mitchell and Clarke, Huhn, Schupp, Smith and McCarty.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

Lowell's amateur ball teams are putting up such a fast article of ball that few fans miss the league team, which held forth here for several years. Many were of the opinion that the loss of the league team would mean that local fans would go to the Hub Saturday to see a game. While some do this little thing, the majority are satisfied with the kind of game played by the amateurs, and remain in the Spaulding city and take a trip to the common or park

to look over the future Cobbs, Mathewsons, Wagners, Maranvilles, etc. While the weather has not yet been very favorable, some fine games have been played here, and with the more propitious atmospheric conditions coming better contests are anticipated. The race for the championship is hotter than ever this season, and many teams are candidates for the honors. While a few of them are gradually being eliminated, it will take the entire season to give all a chance, and when the time arrives for the "post-season series," Lowell followers of the national pastime are in for some great games. The Sun is desirous of co-operating with the local teams in promoting their games, and will gladly assist by publicity or otherwise in doing "its bit." Send in your challenges and accounts, write on one side of paper.

The Senators of Haverhill would like to arrange a game or a series of games with any fast amateur or semi-professional ball team in Lowell or vicinity. The Senators have a good team and are willing to meet all comers. Address challenges to Joseph Bourque, 67-12 Summer street, Haverhill.

The Hosford Juniors are anxious to arrange games with any 12 or 13 year old team in Lowell or vicinity. The Emersons write this paper that they are willing to meet the Hosford team so, therefore, it is up to the manager of each team to get together and arrange for a game.

Snow's West Ends would like to arrange games with any 18 or 19 year old team in the city, the Parkviews preferred. Send challenges to M. H. McHale, Kiernan's drug store, corner of Broadway and School streets.

The Young Lions would like to play the Graves Saturday afternoon on the South common. Communicate with George Souza, 52 North street.

WILLIE JACKSON WINS OVER CHICK SIMLER

BOSTON, June 6.—Willie Jackson, the New York light-weight, displayed such good ability in his bout with Chick Simler of Scranton at the Armory A.A. last night that the fans feel that it will take a great fighter to defeat him.

The 12th and last round had gone just a minute when Referee Conboy stopped the bout and declared Jackson the winner. Simler had been knocked down with a right on the jaw. At the count of eight he staggered to his feet and fell helpless against the ropes. The referee, seeing his plight, showed good judgment in preventing Jackson from inflicting any further punishment.

Judging from the way Jackson worked last night, local fans who had figured he had knocked out Dundee with a duke punch some weeks ago have changed their minds. He is a good two-handed boxer, with a level head. There is a great kick in his right and his left is stiff enough to do a lot of damage. He gets about on his feet well, too.

Jackson ran into a stiff right in the fourth and went to the floor, but was up in a second or two apparently unhurt.

In the last round Jackson went after Simler fast. He drove him against the ropes and then shot his right to the jaw, Simler going to the mat.

In the semifinal Benny Valger of New York won the decision over Paddy Owens of Cambridge in 10 rounds.

Sam Bell won the award over Joe Flynn in six rounds and Charley Mitchell knocked out Geo. Deiano in two rounds.

SALE OF TROTTERS
NEW YORK, June 6.—What is conceded to be the finest collection of highly bred trotting horses ever sold to a public sale will be auctioned without reservation at Madison Square garden today. In all there are 100 horses catalogued. This will be the dispersal sale of all the trotting stock owned by C. K. G. Billings, which includes the trotting stallion The Harvester, 2:01; the champion pacing colt William, 1:58½; Peter Dillon, 2:11, and the imported Russian Orloff stallion Blon.

Besides the Billings horse 60 others will be sold, including the champion pacer Directum, 1:56½, holder of 14 world's harness records.

AN AWFUL SLAUGHTER BY THE RED SOX

BOSTON, June 6.—Boston won the deciding game of the series with Cleveland yesterday, 4 to 2. Gould and Scott ran the lot in the second inning, when nine runs were scored. The final count was 11 to 4. Cleveland scored all its runs in the first inning on three singles, a double, a hit batsman and a sacrifice fly. Mays settled down after that and Cleveland was at a loss to score. In the second inning Boston made five hits before Gould was withdrawn. Two errors, a double and a single caused Morton to retire. Combs then took up the task and finished the game. The score:

BOSTON	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Hooper, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Janvrin, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	1
Hobitzell, 1b	4	1	0	0	0	0
Lewis, lf	5	2	2	2	0	0
Walker, c	5	1	2	0	0	0
Gardner, 3b	4	1	2	2	0	0
Scott, ss	4	1	3	6	2	0
Thomas, p	1	1	1	0	1	0
Agnew, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cady, c	1	1	1	0	1	0
Mays, p	1	1	0	0	0	0
Walsh, p	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals	37	11	27	9	1	0
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CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Graney, cf	4	0	1	5	0	0
Chapman, ss	3	1	2	2	3	0
Speaker, c	3	1	2	1	1	0
Roth, rf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Wambagans, 2b	3	1	2	0	0	0
Haris, 1b, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	1
Evans, 3b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Guisto, 1b	3	0	1	1	0	0
O'Neill, c	2	0	0	0	0	0
Billings, c	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gould, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Morton, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Combs, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Howard, p	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals	32	4	9	24	10	3
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x—Batted for Combs in the 5th.
z—Batted for Thomas in the 2nd.

Boston 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 11
Cleveland 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4

Two base hits: Roth, Lewis, Walker. Three base hits: Graney, Scott, Lewis. Stolen base: Wambagans. Sacrifice hit: Speaker. Sacrifice flies: Haris, Janvrin, Hooper. Double plays: Scott to Hobitzell. Left on bases: Boston 6; Cleveland 5. First base on errors: Boston 2; Cleveland 1. Bases on balls: Off Gould 1; off Mays 1; off Combs 1. Hits and earned runs: Off Gould, 5 and 1 in 1st inning; off Morton, 2 and 3 in 1-3 innings; off Combs, 5 and 2 in 6-2-3 innings; off Mays, 3 and 4 in 5-6 innings. Hit by pitcher: By Mays (Wambagans). Struck out: By Mays (Wambagans); Hildebrand and O'Loughlin. Umpires: Hildebrand and O'Loughlin. Time: 2:05.

AN EVEN BREAK
NEW YORK, June 6.—New York and Detroit divided a double header here yesterday. The Yanks won the first game, 5 to 1, and Detroit took the second by a score of 6 to 4. According to Business Manager Sparrow of New York, the crowd was the greatest that ever attended an American league game in this city.

Mitchell, who shut out New York in the first game of the series, was batted hard in the first game and driven out of the box in the sixth inning.

Cobb's work featured the second game. He hit Shawkey for two triples, a double and two singles, drove in three runs for New York in the third inning, when he cleaned the bases with a two-base hit. Scores:

(First Game)

New York	0	0	1	2	0	0	—5	31
Detroit	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1	51

Cullop and Nunamaker; Mitchell, C. Jones and Spencer.

(Second Game)

Detroit	0	0	4	0	1	0	—6	91
New York	0	0	3	0	0	1	—4	30

Boland and Stange; Shawkey and Walters.

Chicago 6, Philadelphia 3

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Remarkable catches by Folsch, Jackson, Leibold and Strunk featured the game which Chicago won here yesterday, 6 to 3. It was the second time this season that Chicago made a clean sweep of a series with Philadelphia. In honor of registration day the two teams drilled and raised the American flag, while Chicago players sang "The Star Spangled Banner." The score:

Chicago 8, Philadelphia 3
PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Bern

Benz, Scott and Schalk; Seibold, Schauer, Falkenberg and Meyers.

St. Louis 6, Washington 2

WASHINGTON, June 6.—St. Louis split even on the series with Washington by winning yesterday, 6 to 2. Four runs were scored by the visitors in the ninth on singles by Severide, Pratt and Sean and errors by Ayers and Morgan. The score:

St. Louis	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—6	10
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—2	4

Groom, Seiberson and Severide; Hale, Galtia, Johnson, Ayers and Ainsmith.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

American League	W.	L.	P.C.
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Boston	20	12	.625
Chicago	30	15	.667
New York	23	23	.500
Cleveland	25	23	.521
Detroit	17	21	.444
St. Louis	17	25	.405
Washington	12	17	.412
Philadelphia	12	17	.412

National League	W.	L.	P.C.
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New York	23	10	.699
Philadelphia	23	14	.622
Chicago	25	17	.595
St. Louis	24	19	.558
Boston	14	26	.345
Cincinnati	13	26	.332
Cleveland	14	26	.345
Pittsburg	14	27	.341

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League

Boston 11, Cleveland 4.

Chicago 6, Philadelphia 3.

St. Louis 6, Washington 2.

New York 5, Detroit 1 (first game).

Detroit 6, New York 4 (second game).

National League

St. Louis 3, Boston 2.

Cincinnati 10, New York 5.

Other games postponed—Rain.

JOHN L. TO SPEAK

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2 Cases Ladies' Fast Black Seamless Hose, a pair, only 10c

Men's Fast Black Hose, value 19c, a pair 10c

271 Ladies' Fine Lawn Waists, white and black, sold up to \$1.50, each .19c

Mercerized Petticoats, value \$1.00, each .69c

Extra Large Mercerized Petticoats, value \$1.25, each .79c

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and preparedness. This will be the first and probably the only chance the sports of Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill and surrounding cities will have to hear the most popular champion of all time, and it is a certainty that hundreds who have never seen John L. will take advantage of this opportunity.

In addition to the 12-round bout between Gardner and Ahearn, the 20th after that, Kid Thomas of Lawrence has matched Kid Thomas of Lawrence to box Leo Crevier of San Francisco in the 10-round semi-final. Two other preliminaries between the best of the local boys will be staged.

GAMES TOMORROW

American League

Detroit at Boston

Chicago at Washington

St. Louis at Philadelphia

Cleveland at New York

National League

Boston at St. Louis

Brooklyn at Pittsburgh

New York at Cincinnati

Philadelphia at Chicago

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ELECTS NEW PRESIDENT

Board of Trade Holds Annual Meeting and Election of Officers

James C. Reilly, Esq., Will Succeed Robert F. Marden as President

James C. Reilly, Esq., was unanimously elected president of the Lowell board of trade at the annual meeting and election of officers of that organization last night. The list of officers and directors for the coming year were also chosen, and reports of the retiring president and secretary were heard and plans for the future discussed. Mr. Reilly, in accepting the position, spoke of the growth of the board in recent years and the influence which it has at the present time. He said that the scope of the work of the organization has greatly widened and the demands made on the officers has greatly increased.

Robert F. Marden, the retiring president, spoke of the fine spirit which permeates the organization. Secretary William H. Bolger presented a very interesting report of the work of the organization during the year. The report of the treasurer showed that the board is in a flourishing financial condition, there being \$2300 in the treasury. James F. Owens of the nominating committee presented a list of officers and directors for the coming year, and this was unanimously adopted. The list of officers is as follows:

President, James C. Reilly; first vice president, John A. Hunsnewell; second vice president, Jude C. Wadsworth; third



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President Marden's Report
President Robert F. Marden's report was as follows:

The vitality of any board of trade or commercial organization is in the cooperation accorded its work by the members and the public at large, both as individuals and as industrial corporations. With genuine co-operation the possibilities for good in such an organization as the Lowell board of trade are unlimited, for in this single body can be concentrated the essential activities, non-political, non-religious and wholly unselfish, that a city like this requires.

It is a credit to the board of trade that such a spirit of co-operation exists so strongly now that the organization has actually become a power for good in the city, capable of carrying out any definite policy with the assurance that the public will view the proposals coming from this source as not actuated by any partisan motive. In a city like Lowell a commercial body that can command the unlimited support and sympathy of both employer and employee, of industry, whether large or small, of merchants, of politicians, of officeholders, of all, is distinctly an asset not to be wholly discounted. On the contrary the board may be the emphasis of the people on many an occasion.

With a spirit like this the Lowell board of trade can do a great deal for Lowell in the years to come. For it is admitted that there is much to do. The development of a city along right lines, aiming at a definite policy of progress which could well include the elimination of slums, of noxious alleys, of undesirable properties, of all the dead weight that encumbers any community of size and importance, and the substitution thereof of an air of modern cleanliness and an impressive appearance of progressiveness, is all a part of the possible duty of a board of trade. It cannot be denied that Lowell is moving in the right direction and will continue to proceed thus if the board of trade will continue its existing policy of effective work. It behooves all men and industries in the city to continue to give freely to the board of trade, officers and directors that measure of enthusiastic support that actually counts in the effectiveness of the organization.

It has been possible to watch the local sentiment of pride of city grow in recent years. Probably no one effort so focused local sentiment as that wonderful industrial exhibition conducted in 1915 which was an eye-opener not only to thousands of the people here

but to the industries themselves. Men for the first time realized to a suitable degree the diversity of the product in this city's factories and the value and beauty of the finished work of the skill of the people here. Then there was woven a fabric of public sentiment that has been of tremendous power in establishing a feeling among the industries, men and women of Lowell, that this city is a good city in the truest sense, for it is useful to the world. Another striking accomplishment of the board of trade along this same line was the publication last year of the volume known as "The Lowell Digest," wherein were compiled the most facts about Lowell. This, like the industrial exhibit, served to emphasize the best traditions of the city and added still further to the feeling of general satisfaction that is growing so strong among the people here.

The board of trade has undertaken many lines of endeavor, among them being the work in behalf of industry and along welfare lines as well. It was found that this city lacked the means of teaching the English language to thousands of non-English speaking people living here. Through the instrumentality of the board of trade a beginning has been made on this and the babel of tongues now required throughout the city may in time gradually be tuned to a better semblance of the one real language of this nation. This is one of the important matters to foster and to maintain until there is a great tide of improvement to be noted in the city. It is for the good of all that our people are thoroughly Americanized.

After paying a strong tribute to the men who had been specially helpful during his administration, President Marden continued:

The aim of our board of trade is to be useful to the community. I am not unaware of the fact that we have at the moment the unqualified approval of the community with unusual unanimity, but I know full well that the credit for this cannot rightly be awarded to any one man. Our present strength as an organization comes from the ready support accorded from many directions, from the members of the board, from the directors and officers, from the secretary, from the city authorities with whom our relations have been uniformly extremely pleasant, from the business and industry of the town, from workers and employers alike, and from the public press. Much has been demanded of all by this board of trade and much has freely been given. It has been a pleasure to serve the board as its president, by far the most pleasant experience I have been so fortunate as to encounter in public or semi-public life. I find Lowell men are among the best in the world to work with and work for. My personal thanks to you all are offered with a deep appreciation of your

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friendly help and kindly sentiments so often expressed, not only in words but in deeds. I have promised the new president my personal support in his every effort and assure you that I will all join with me in giving him that measure of aid and constant sympathy that you have given me. I can foresee for this organization a bright future. Let us all strive to make for Lowell the best that is in it by giving the best that is in us."

Secretary Bolger's Report
Secretary Bolger's report covered the important activities of the year, showing that five general meetings had been held, at which the speakers had addressed the members on topics of importance. He called attention to the practice of the board to work on certain definite propositions and bring them to a conclusion while attending also to the infinite details of the work of a board of trade.

His survey of the field of endeavor in 12 months included such matters as the study of the supply of foodstuffs in Lowell at the time of the threatened railroad strike; the improvements secured at the railroad station; the enlargements of the board's headquarters; the meetings held and the numbers attending which totalled close to 1000 in all; the publication of the Lowell Digest by the board; the Merrimack river navigation project; the work on the homestead commission's plan for establishing a model house district here; the home garden work of this spring, in which the board effectively co-operated; the cleanliness campaigns, including the one now on where the street cleaners are offered prizes for the best kept street; the highway committee's street paving plans; the establishment of quiet zones near the hospitals; the placing of rubbish receptacles in downtown streets; the trolley express effort and the street railway situation; the work of last summer for the relief of the dependents of the soldiers; the celebration on the return of Company M from the border; the summer placement bureau; the industrial development, which had its headquarters in the erection of the big Burgess-Rand building in Middlesex street and the expansion of the George H. Snow Co. occupying much of this building; the new city director, George H. Hunsnewell, and his plan over the old style of the prevention and insurance work, which has been indefatigable and effective, producing a great benefit to the city; the co-operation of the Lowell board with the chamber of commerce of the United States; the public functions, such as the grand parades, in which the board had a part; the forestry of the Lowell Military Training school; the work in behalf of the merchants in carrying out special trading days; the Lowell textile council, in which the board has a part; the cleanup crusade, in which the board co-operated with other organizations; the celebration of the centennial of the signing of the Declaration of Independence; the celebration of the state conference of charities for which the board played the part of host to some extent; the plans for the Elks textile day in connection with the great gathering in Boston soon; the Americanization campaign and the special school work connected with it; and, in an inclusive way, scores of minor but essential activities which the board of trade has conducted or been helpful in during the year.

Election of Officers
The election of officers followed the reading of the secretary's report and Mr. Reilly was called to the chair and took charge of the meeting. He thanked the board for its confidence in him and the honor conferred. Before adjournment a rising vote of thanks was given to the retiring president, Mr. Marden, who responded in a neat speech.

MAYOR O'DONNELL GRATEFUL
The following letter of appreciation to the public by Mayor O'Donnell is self explanatory.

To the Public: I take this means, as Mayor of Lowell, of extending my sincere thanks to all who so cheerfully and loyally assisted in making Registration Day, the success that it was. Many citizens volunteered their services at considerable sacrifice of time and financial loss, while all who were called upon to make sacrifices for the common good, responded with alacrity and enthusiasm.

Those who officiated at the different polling places of the city are particularly entitled to thanks, for most of them sacrificed a day's pay to engage in a long and hard day's work for which they received no remuneration. The spirit of vigorous patriotism for which Lowell has been famous in the past, is still alive, and permeated every street factory and home, while the foreign-born resident vied with the native-born in demonstrating his loyalty and love of country.

It was a magnificent occasion and should make every man proud of his city and his fellowmen.
James E. O'Donnell
Mayor of Lowell.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB
The members of the Educational club, after listening to the reports of the officers at the meeting yesterday, were presented an enjoyable program, as follows: Piano solo, Mrs. Arthur Whitaker; readings, Miss Neida Cross; violin solo, Miss Evelyn Walte, accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Whitaker; cello solo, Miss Ruth Nix, accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Whitaker; reading, Miss Marjorie Arnold, accompanied by Miss Harriet Black. After the entertainment, all adjourned to the tables, which were prettily decorated with the national colors. Tea was served by the hospitality committee, consisting of Mrs. Burke, chairman; Mrs. Ricker, Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. Farrow. Mrs. Gould poured.

JOURNEYMEN BARBERS
The Journeymen Barbers met in regular session at their hall, 22 Middle street, last night and considerable routine business was transacted. Fifteen applications for membership were received and ten new members were initiated. The committee appointed to regulate hours, wages and prices, submitted its report which were accepted with several amendments. A committee was appointed to present the demands to the master barbers and to represent the local in conference with the Master Barbers' association. A press committee was also appointed as follows: Edward A. Deslandes, James Morrison and Edward Young. Resolutions were served and arrangements were made to run an outing for the support of the dependents of members called to the colors in the present war.

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Men's \$4 and \$5 Shoes for \$2.98—most of them carry the stamp of a well known named shoe. Just received from underwriters, 100 pairs of Men's Shoes and Oxfords. The shoes are in gun metal and vici kid on wide, medium and narrow toes. A lot of rubber soles and fibre soles in the lot. There is a small lot of narrow widths on the English styles that are very desirable. Former price \$4 and \$5, for **\$2.98**

600 pairs of Misses' and Children's Tan Elk Play Shoes, Goodyear welts on good fitting style; all sizes, 9 to 13 and 1 to 2; former price \$1.50 and \$1.75. Sale price **\$1.29**
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OUR SO. AMERICAN COMMERCE

Mr. John H. Fahey of the Worcester Post, who is an authority on questions of foreign and domestic trade, has brought out in pamphlet form a series of highly instructive articles bearing upon our trade relations with South American countries. The articles were originally published in the New York Tribune and attracted considerable attention on their first appearance. They show that a vast field for American trade awaits development through the fostering care of the United States government. The opportunities for extensive trade with each country are dealt with and the conclusion is enforced that we have been asleep in reference to our trade interests with South America, while the European nations have been catering for it in every way possible.

The freight rates to Europe from most of these South American countries near the Atlantic coast have been much less than those to the United States. The great disadvantage with which we had to contend was the lack of trading ships or in other words a merchant marine. England and other European nations before the war, had regular schedules for trading vessels leaving South American ports; and their lower freight rates gave them an advantage over their occasional competitors, from the United States.

From the opening of the war until April, 1916, shipping rates from American to South American ports were about 50 per cent higher than from corresponding distances in Europe. Then a still further increase in rates to this country became effective, until the South American business man could secure European merchandise at a freight cost fully 75 per cent less than if he bought the goods in the United States.

Before the war, the cost of moving coal from the United States to Buenos Aires was \$1 to \$5 a ton. Early in 1916 it was over \$25 a ton; and as a result steam coal was selling in Buenos Aires at \$28 to \$30 a ton. Hard coal sold as high as \$40 a ton. Because of this condition the railroads of the southern countries have been burning wood; and oil is being used for fuel by the big power plants of cities.

The rate on hides was increased in almost the same proportion as coal, but hides were sent to Europe for 25 per cent less. Before the war general hardware from the United States was carried at the rate of \$7 per ton. Last year it had increased to \$89 a ton. Other rates were in proportion; yet in spite of the submarine warfare the rates from Europe were 50 to 75 per cent less. It is difficult to believe that conditions so extraordinary exist; but the proofs could be multiplied indefinitely to show that these South American countries in point of economy, service and regularity find many advantages in trading with Europe rather than the United States.

Another example will suffice to show how this matter of ocean freight rates operates. We quote from the pamphlet in question:

"Bids were called for in Buenos Aires recently for cast iron piping. The contract amounted to \$1,500,000 and three leading American firms participated in the bidding. They were able to make a figure for the material on the wharf in New York City lower than their English competitors, but a concern in Birmingham, England, secured the contract, because of ability to offer a price which meant about \$23 a ton less, all the advantage coming from lower freight rates. Transportation is a part of the cost of any merchandise and notwithstanding all other advantages we cannot so forward as we should in South American development until the shipping situation is vastly improved."

It appears that under peace conditions Europe has the advantage of service four or five times as good as ours. About 50 cargo ships a month sail from Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo and Buenos Aires to English ports and about 40 such ships from the same ports to Germany. To Italy, Spain, France and Portugal, the average is 40 to 50 ships per month. There are but 10 ships a month sailing to the United States under the American flag with about 15 more under foreign flags. Thus is seen the need of a merchant marine equipped to develop the trade with the South American countries. Private enterprise cannot be relied upon to overcome the opposition from Europe and, therefore, it will devolve upon the government to establish shipping lines to the southern republics and otherwise to compete for a share of the commerce that would come to our shores, if we only offered these people conditions equal to those obtainable from European nations. These South American countries are all progressive. They would in most cases prefer to trade with us if they could do so with equal facility or with any advantage to themselves.

In 1916 our trade with the countries of the Pan American union amounted to \$435,000,000, which is about \$130,000,000 over previous records. There has been steady progress towards an increase of commerce with the Americas during the last fifteen years; but it has been held down by the lack of ships. It is hoped that this need will be supplied after the war by the freight vessels to be built by Col. Goethals to help beat the submarines.

SENATOR WEEKS

On war questions in general and naval matters in particular, Senator Weeks of Massachusetts is considered an authority. The senator has felt that the revenue measures of the government carried too much money, that the demands of the government for war purposes should not be so sweeping at this time. During the recent debate on the army bill, Senator Weeks succeeded in having an amendment adopted by which the appropriation for army horses was cut from \$75,500,000 to \$25,000,000. In urging his amendment, he expressed the belief that one billion dollars should be enough for intensive military development in one year. Senator Weeks brings to the discussion of such measures the experience of the successful business man and also the expert knowledge of the man scientifically trained in naval affairs. Educated for the navy, Senator Weeks entered business and after attaining an eminent degree of success, he turned to politics in which he cuts a wide swath. He is a man of genial manners and commanding presence, while as a speaker he is impressive and convincing.

SECRETARY LANE'S SPEECH

For the benefit of the people who are going about with the white that this is not our war, there can be no better cure than to read the speech of Secretary of State Lane. His speech before the Home Club of Washington, D. C., Monday night, is one of the best yet delivered upon "Why we are in the war." It is clever and more to the point and more comprehensive than anything given out by President Wilson on the same subject. It is a model of straightforward, forcible and convincing statement of facts. It betrays the diplomatic logic so characteristic of the documents prepared by Mr. Lane. In this speech, he has rendered a valuable service to the country. He has put the lie down the throats of those who say we have no business in this war and that it is not our war. He has shown that had we refused to enter this war in defense of our own rights, the United States flag would be no better than an international doormat and that the status of this nation would have fallen in the same degree.

ACTION, NOT TALK, ADMIRAL

Admiral Sims is talking again. He is now boasting of an undiplomatic speech which he made a few years ago and claiming that his prophecy has been verified. He should remember that there are other powers at war with Germany besides England and the United States and that we are in the war not specially to save England but to vindicate our rights and overthrow the power that would assail them.

What the American people want to hear from Admiral Sims is not speeches but a report of the submarines he has captured. Hot air will not defeat Germany. Admiral Sims was sent to the war zone for business, not for vainglorious speeches.

THE STOCKHOLM CONFERENCE

The powers at war are all watching the possibilities of that socialist conference at Stockholm. In some quarters it is now alleged that even Germany, with which it originated, is afraid of it. The no annexation and no indemnity shibboleths were framed in Germany and taken up by the new Russia. Neither England nor France can agree to them in view of German devastation of French and Belgian territory. Germany wants a peace under which she will get back her colonies and escape indemnities. We do not think she can get it unless the situation undergoes a great change in her favor.

THE REGISTRATION

The alien residents turned out in large numbers yesterday to register, but there was much confusion owing to the number of foreign nationalities and the difficulties of understanding some of those who wished to register. It would seem that there must have been many unsatisfactory cases which would require more time and consideration. In fact, many who witnessed the scenes in some precincts felt that another day would be needed to do the work effectively. What was true in Lowell in this respect must have been equally true of other cities in dealing with the foreign element.

THE ANTI-DRAFT AGITATORS

The government should silence the anti-conscription agitators such as Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and others. The Goldman woman has openly boasted that she is an anarchist and opposed to all government. The meeting did everything in its power to start a revolt against conscription. She and the other speakers should be put away where they will do no harm until after the war.

Part of the proceedings during the hearing on the Thomas case at city hall yesterday must have been disgraceful. The charges made should be made the subject of inquiry in a court in which the facts in the case cannot be suppressed.

Seen and Heard

The moon will register full today, but the moon should be alone in this respect.

Getting up early in the morning and spending an hour spading in the garden is an excellent spring tonic. It gives you an appetite for breakfast.

His Idea of Happiness

The table conversation drifted somehow or other to happiness. Said one of the grown-ups: "They say that the Eskimos are the happiest, merriest people in the world." "Well, why shouldn't they be?" burst out the young son, aged nine. "They don't never have to wash themselves or take a bath."—Fall River News.

Big Difference

A Scottish doctor, new to the gun, ventured on a day's rabbit shooting. Chased by the ferrets, each rabbit proved to be a quick moving target, and the doctor was not meeting with quite the success he anticipated. At length he lost his patience and exclaimed to the keeper who accompanied him: "Hang it all, man, those rabbits are too quick for me!" "Aye, doctor," was the keeper's reply, "but ye surely didn't expect them to be like the patients I'll ye kill them!"—Fitzburg Chronicle Telegraph.

Voluntary Prisoners

During the early weeks of occupation of Port-au-Prince by the Americans the patrols rounded up seventy-three prisoners. The jails being unspacious at the time, these prisoners were packed out in a clean room over coral, where of course they were regularly fed. A few days later the collector was sent into the central camp of marines asked his sergeant to go in and make a careful count of the prisoners, as he feared some of them might have escaped. The sergeant counted over his hand three times. "Well," said the captain, "are they all there?" "Yes, sir," said the sergeant, "we put seventy-three of 'em in here on Monday and there's a hundred and two of 'em, mostly soldiers, in there now."—George Marvin in World's Work.

The Old Toll Roads

Good roads were first maintained in the east and especially in Pennsylvania by means of toll roads, which were separated from the regular roads by means of tollgates or toll stations. On travel on these improved highways a charge was made for all sorts of conveyances. With the coming of the motorcar the fee for machines was

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The liver acts as a guard over our well-being, sifting out the cinders and ashes from the general circulation. A blockade in the intestines piles a heavy burden upon the liver. If the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned, the system becomes loaded with toxic waste, and we suffer from auto-intoxication or ptomaine poisoning. Something is wrong with the liver, and we suffer from headache, yellow-coated tongue, bad taste in mouth, nausea, or gas, acid dyspepsia, languor, debility, sign or eyes yellow, the water is scant and high colored, and the urine deposits and bile pigments. At such times one should drink plenty of water between meals, and a pint of hot water before breakfast, and occasionally take a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of the May-apple, leaves of aloe and root of jalap, first extracted and put in ready-to-use form by Dr. Pierce nearly fifty years ago, and sold by druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Do not take mineral oils or so-called "Russian Oil," for the experiments by R. F. McDonald have shown as lately reported in a government publication that mineral oil may act as an irritant that produces gastro-intestinal disturbances and that it may cause tissue proliferation, stimulating cancer.

The next important organ to be reckoned with is the kidneys. Kidney disease carries away a large percentage of our people. What can the ordinary person do to properly balance his health? The answer is not easy, but I advise everybody to eat less meat, eat coarse, plain food, with plenty of vegetables, drink plenty of water between meals, and take an uric acid solvent, such as Auric (double strength), before meals for awhile. Auric can be obtained at almost any drug store.

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made so high that in a few years hundreds of miles of good roads were built and maintained in excellent condition.

There are a few of these roads still in existence where a toll is charged in the Maryland, Delaware and Pennsylvania section. Most of these, however, have been eliminated on account of the state highway appropriation, and it is expected with the new federal appropriation of \$4,000,000, tollgates will be a relic of the past.

His Duty Painful

A man who had been born and brought up on the range and had never seen or known a woman rode into a border town to see the sights. Immediately he fell in love with a buxom waitress and they were married. The cowpuncher bought another horse and the couple rode away to the far-off ranch, supposedly happy and content. Two days afterward the cowpuncher came back, looking very sorrowful—leading the other horse.

"Why, where is your wife?" asked all the men about the hotel in concert as the rode man.

"She broke her leg the second day out," answered the cowpuncher as the tears ran down his face, "and I had to shoot her. I tell you, I hated to do it, but she was such a good woman." He added with a groan—Abilene (Kan.) Reflector.

A Fine Lad

Now observe our little Rollo—is he not a young Apollo? He will graduate this summer, from his college. He is handsome and athletic, happy, bright and energetic.

As the greatest observer must acknowledge, as a trigonometrician he is not without "Condition."

And his Latin isn't quite up to the standard. But he's learned the dread enigmas of the Alpha Sigma Sigmas.

And his dancing is a thing that can't be slandered.

He is shaky on the data of the carboniferous strata.

And he pointed through his Plautus at the Colosseum country club on Sunday on the eve of the reverend gentleman's departure for new fields in the vocation to which he has consecrated his life. It was just after the reverend chaplain had said his farewell, his valedictory from the veranda of the clubhouse, where 400 members sat about on the green, making a pretty picture on that balmy day in June.

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BEGIN RECRUITING OF BRITISH SUBJECTS

NEW YORK, June 6.—Recruiting of British subjects for the British army began here today at the headquarters of Gen. W. A. White.

REAR-END COLLISION

Ten Passengers on Two Electric Cars So Badly Injured That They Had to Be Taken to Hospital

PAWTUCKET, R. I., June 6.—In a rear-end collision today ten passengers on two electric cars which were conveying workmen to Pawtucket were so badly injured that they had to be taken to a hospital. Several were found to have fractured limbs but all are expected to recover. Other passengers were severely shaken and bruised. Recent closing of the streets caused the rails to be unusually slippery.

HARVARD CLASS DAY EXERCISES CAMBRIDGE, June 6.—Word has

been received by President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard university that Harvard seniors, now engaged in military training at Plattsburg, will be granted a 24-hour furlough to enable them to attend the class day exercises on June 18. Among those who will return for the day will be Richard Harter, first marshal, and Hunt Wentworth, ivy orator.

FREIGHT RATES

With Cross Examination of Shippers' Witnesses Interstate Commerce Commission Completed Hearings

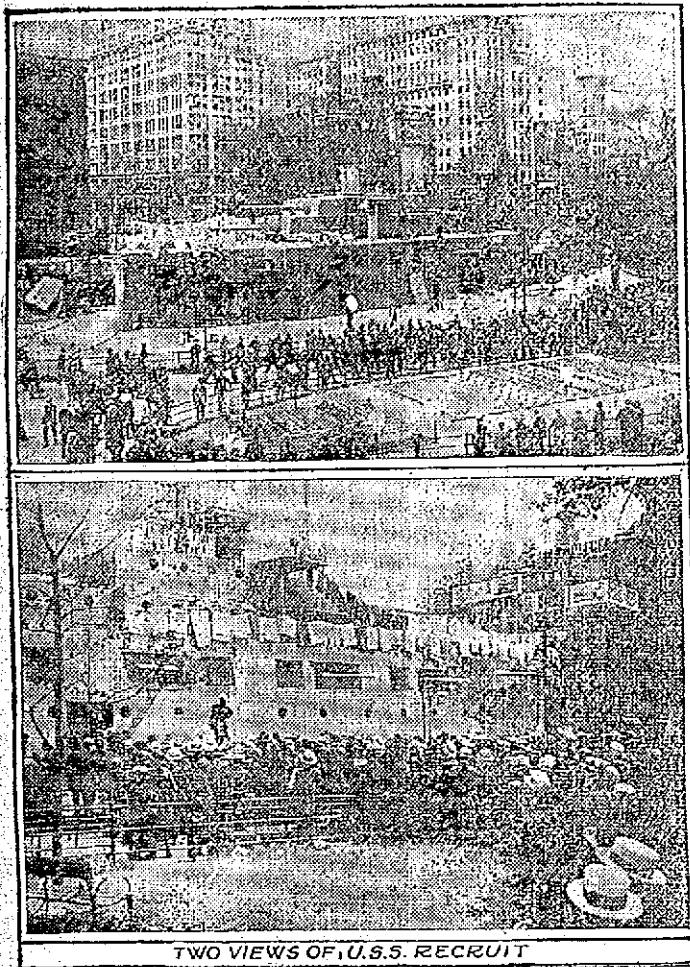
WASHINGTON, June 6.—With cross-examination of shippers' witnesses, the interstate commerce commission today completed hearings of protestants against the proposed 15 per cent. increase in freight rates asked by the railroads.

GOES TO THE FRONT

Russian Minister of War Has Left Petrograd for a Trip to the Northwest Front

PETROGRAD, June 6, via London.—Minister of War Kerensky has left the capital to visit the northwest front.

CAN'T SAIL THE SEAS BUT HELPS IN ENLISTING THE SAILORS



TWO VIEWS OF U.S.S. RECRUIT

The U. S. S. Recruit, the only land battleship ever built in this country, was "launched" on a navy and marine recruiting campaign in Union Square, New York. The wooden dreadnaught, which is a huge miniature of a first class battleship, was built under the direction of the navy's committee on national defense. It is the headquarters for the recruiting in the New York district of the navy, America's first line of defense.

As a fully rigged land battleship the Recruit presents an inspiring sight to the thousands of men and women who cross Union Square every day. More than anything else since the recruiting campaign has

begun the presence of the dreadnaught is expected to bring the arrival of war directly home to the people of New York.

Measuring 200 feet from stem to stern and forty feet beam, the Recruit has been built to offer much needed quarters for both the navy and marine recruiting forces. A spacious waiting room for recruits and applicants, physical examination rooms, both fore and aft; doctors' quarters, shower baths and numerous other accommodations for officers and men are provided in the architectural plan of the vessel's interior. There is also an office through which all the recruiting reports for New York are given out for publication.

GOVERNMENT SAYS THEY MAINTAINED COMMUNICATION WITH OUR ENEMIES



LEFT TO RIGHT, HARRY F. PERISSI, IRVING BONAPARTE, AXEL B. MELCHAR

Ferdinand Henles Adam, a young German, was arrested in New York. While no charge has been made against him, his detention is regarded as highly important. In his room was found the photograph of a German army captain—his father, he explained. Adam said that he was rejected by the army examiners, left Germany in February, 1915, and shipped for Mexico from a Spanish port. The vessel was held up by a British cruiser and Adam was interned at Halifax seven months. When released he came to the United States. He told the police he made several trips to Mexico.

Herman Francke, forty-one years old, of Brooklyn, an electrical engineer, was arrested and charged with violating the federal postal laws. The three men shown in the picture were held in heavy bail on a charge of conspiring to send mail to Europe through other than the authorized channels. They are, from left to right, Harry F. Perissi, thirty-two, of Far Rockaway, whose bond

was made \$25,000; Irving Bonaparte, thirty-four, of 964 Fox street, Bronx, bail \$20,000, and Axel B. Melchar, thirty-two, of 164 East 122d street, bail \$25,000. Perissi and Bonaparte are employees of the Allgemeine Elektrizitaets Gesellschaft of 17 Battery place. Melchar keeps a saloon near the water front in Brooklyn.

The government alleges they sent mail matter to and from Germany by having it carried to Norway by men of the crews of the Norwegian-American line steamships Bergensfjord and Kristianfjord. Matter from Germany was brought here and mailed regularly, and mail from South America and Mexico was sent here through the regular channels and turned over the crews of the two ships.

Adam is employed by L. F. Frorup, a dealer in carbons at 232 Greenwich street, and a business relationship existed between him and Perissi and Bonaparte. It is said Adam was employed to assemble and pack wireless

equipment sent to Mexico. The parts were obtained from different manufacturers.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

There was a large attendance at the meeting of Wameest lodge, I.O.O.F., M.U., Monday night. Noble Grand John B. Campbell presiding. Considerable routine business was transacted, two applications for membership were received and three candidates were initiated. Officers were nominated for the ensuing term and the election will take place at the next regular meeting of the lodge. Remarks were made by P. G. John Orrell.

Next Sunday the memorial services of Integrity, Wameest and Merrimack lodges will be held at the M. U. Odd Fellows lot in the Edison cemetery. Members will report to their respective lodges at 1.15 and march to the cemetery, where Rev. Mr. Singleton of the Lawrence Street Primitive Methodist church will conduct the services, assisted by the district officers.

The Loyal Wameest Lodge Staff association held its regular meeting Sunday morning in Odd Fellows hall, with President John W. Foster in the chair. Important routine business was transacted and the staff drill was dispensed with, as the members attended the memorial services at Maynard. An enjoyable program was also given, with John H. Mills as toastmaster, and the numbers were as follows: Piano solo, A. W. Henderson of Integrity lodge; song, Fred Batty; remarks, G. M. Mackley of Integrity lodge; song, W. H. Bowles; reading, George Adams; song, Thomas Smith; song, Frank Bowles; and song, James Taylor. An exhibition of bayonet drill was also given by P. G. M. Mackley, which was enjoyed by all.

WEST POINT'S HEAD GOES TO FRANCE SOON

Colonel John Biddle, superintendent of the Military academy at West Point, has been relieved and assigned to command the new Sixth regiment of engineers now being organized in



COL. JOHN BIDDLE

Washington for service in France. The demand for engineers in France has made the experienced engineer officers of the United States army eager to perform active service.

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TO TRAIN 10,000

Fifteen Schools to Be Established Along New England Coast For Training of Officers For Merchant Marine

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Plenty of men with nautical experience probably will be found to enter the 15 schools soon to be established along the New England coast for training of officers

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POCKETBOOK containing sum of money and gas bill lost between Amory and Front sts. Reward if returned to Solomon Laczynski 59 Front st.

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BLUE COAT lost from auto Monday morning on Aiken st., betw. Lakeview ave. and Merrimack st. Reward at 520 Merrimack st.

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CONVENTION MEMBERS HEAR GOV. MC CALL

Special to The Sun
STATE HOUSE, Boston, June 6.—In his address today to the fourth constitutional convention in the history of Massachusetts, Gov. McCall said in part:

"You are meeting today under the inspiring influence of war, and at the first thought it might seem that the time was not propitious for your work. But with all its evils war often brings a quickening perception of conditions. It makes more alert the sense of danger, and experience has shown that under its shadows have been de- veloped some of the most liberal and en- doring forms of government. We have a convincing instance in our own history since our constitution was framed when the country was in the throes of the great revolutionary struggle. The automatic origin of the present war, sweeping like a de- vastating conflagration over the whole world, has produced a reaction in fa- vor of popular freedom and those democratic institutions which it was the first purpose of the framers of our constitution to establish."

"The highest fitness for your work is the ability to understand and to reverence the fundamental ideas of democracy and liberty that animated the men of 1780. That constitution provided with greater perfection than was ever before witnessed a mechanism through which a democracy might express itself, and in spite of any ob- stacles that then existed it was able to express itself fairly. The democ- ratic idea will be I think, the an- timating principle in your deliberations and it will be your concern to deter-

mine how it may most surely and safely express itself under the con- ditions of our times.

"We have recently been told that the world must be made safe for democracy. There is a sense in which this expression would not convey quite the proper conception of democ- racy. Democracy is not a timid flower, an exotic which needs to be shel- tered from the winds and storms, but is a strong man, making his way in the world, and in the same way in a state, a mass of men may not of right in their organized capacity do justice to the face of the more numerous any more than upon the will of the stronger.

"A great nation with its armies may overrun a weak one, but the greater the relative strength of the oppressor the more heinous is his crime against Heaven; and in the same way in a state, a mass of men may not of right in their organized capacity do justice to the face of the more numerous any more than upon the will of the stronger.

"You may best provide against in- justice by preventing judgments and securing to the great mass of the people the opportunity to see and to comprehend what they are about to do. Unless action is preceded by forethought it is likely to be followed by repentance."

"I would impress upon you that the instrument which you are about to revise is the oldest written constitu- tion now in force anywhere in the world. If England is the mother of parliaments, Massachusetts may boast with equal pride that she possesses the most ancient frame of government based upon the written word which anywhere exists. This is not a mat- ter of mere antiquarian interest. Some of the peoples now engaged in the war, need to be taught that democracy does not mean disorder. To Russia, immersed in the struggle attending the transition from autocracy to de- mocracy, and to the other nations of Europe our history represents an in- vincible example of stability, of freedom and of order that conclusively shows that liberty is not license and that the will of the people does not mean the abrogation of law. It must make a convincing appeal to them that during the century and a half of the life of our constitution there has been no spot upon its globe that has on the whole been bet- ter governed, that there has been no place where the door of opportunity has been more equally open to all the children of men, that there has been no state that has better illustrated the blessings of free government, and that has made greater progress in those things that tell for real civiliza- tion. While the old order changes and gives place to the new, let us ap- proach with reverence the work of amending and revising that which has served us so well in the past and under which we have grown so great should not lightly be cast aside."

After stating that Massachusetts' constitution is the most brief of those now in force, he expressed the opin- ion that this is due to the fact that it has always been kept in the form of a declaration of fundamental rights, rather than in the form of statute law, and urging the convention to preserve this happy condition, the governor closed his address.

"And so, gentlemen, the superlative importance of the work you have un- dertaken justifies the sacrifices you are making. What you do here may at- tect profoundly the future of the com- monwealth for generations, and it may profoundly affect the future of other states and of great populations beyond the sea. If you shall pursue your task with diligence and wisdom and your work shall be ratified by the people, you will have the proud satis- faction of having rendered to fellow men a service as distinguished as is unique. It is a happy contrast that you present, when amid the din of arms and when the tread of mighty hosts is shaking the earth and force is settling the relations of nations to each other, you are attempting to per- fect a peaceful mechanism through which justice and reason instead of force may have sway over the des- tinies of men. May the influence of your example help somewhat to bring about the emancipation of mankind to the end that brute force may be suc- ceeded by reason, and the hideous brutality of war with its vandalism, its murder, its slavery, its rapine, and the other evils which it engenders, may be driven from the earth."

under justice. There can be no broad and comprehensive justice under a government of privilege which is it- self a system of injustice to great masses of men. The mere counting of people does not establish what is right and what is wrong, for justice in every case cannot rest upon the will of the more numerous any more than upon the will of the stronger.

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FOYE HEARING BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL

At 4.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the municipal council opened the hear- ing on the removal of Edward H. Foye as purchasing agent, and in the course of the proceedings a surprise was sprung by Deputy Sheriff Stiles, who served notices from the supreme court to the members of the council, ordering them to recognize Robert J. Thomas as superintendent of the water works de- partment and Edward H. Foye as pur- chasing agent. The sheriff also served summonses on Messrs. Brown, Morse and Warnock, notifying them to appear at the hearing as witnesses today. There was nothing of an exciting na- ture brought out in the course of the hearing, but Mr. Foye, counsel for Mr. Foye, objected to the admission of evi- dence pertaining to the purchase of food by Mr. Foye from the Merrimack Tea Co., a company which counsel for the three members of the council will attempt to prove was under control of Mr. Foye or members of his family. The three members of the council at- tempted to prevent the removal of Mr. Foye, however, voted to admit all evi- dence in that line, and the hearing was continued until 5.50 o'clock, at which time adjournment was taken until this morning at 8 o'clock.

At the opening of the hearing Mr. Foye read Mr. Foye's answer to the charges preferred against him. The answer was a denial of the specific charges, that Mr. Foye had bought steel at \$91.65 a ton after the agreement had been made that the price should be \$81.65 a ton. Also the charge that he had faith on the part of certain members of the council in their desire and at- tempts to remove Mr. Foye.

After the reading of the answer the mayor asked what time the hearing should adjourn, and it was agreed to stop at 5.45 o'clock. The first witness called was Samuel Katz, a second hand furniture dealer in Bridge street, who formerly occupied a store at 234 Bridge street. Questioned by Mr. Regan, Mr. Katz started telling the council that the premises formerly occupied by him at 234 Bridge street were later occupied by the Merrimack Tea Co. and that he had been asked to know what hearing Mr. Katz's testimony would have in the case, and Mr. Regan stated that he was going to show that a tea company under the name of the Mer- rimack Tea Co. was doing business at that stand and that Mr. Foye as pur- chasing agent purchased tea and other staple goods from the company for the city, and that he was interested in the company.

Mr. Quia objected on the grounds that there was nothing of that mentioned in the charges against Mr. Foye. The mayor said he believed such testimony should not be admitted. On motion of Mr. Brown it was voted to allow the city solicitor to introduce evidence per- taining to the Merrimack Tea Co. the

mayor and Mr. Donnelly voting in the negative.

At this point witness was excused, and Fred H. Rourke, city treasurer, was called to the witness stand and he produced checks for the years 1915 and 1916. Mr. Quia looked over the checks and objected to their admission as evi- dence. Mr. Regan said the checks re- presented amounts paid by the city to the Merrimack Tea Co. and which were endorsed by one J. H. Foye. Another check was presented by Mr. Brown, that the checks be admitted, and it was so voted, the mayor and Mr. Donnelly dissenting. Mr. Quia saved his rights and he said in order to expedite matters he would not object to each individual question, but wanted it understood that he was saving his rights on all evi- dence having to do with matters out- side of what was contained in the charges.

Mr. Regan read the checks which were made payable to the Merrimack Tea Co. by the city treasurer, and which were endorsed by one J. H. Foye. True checks, amounts and dates were as fol- lows:

Aug. 16, 1915, \$138; Sept. 15, 1915, \$151.57; Oct. 15, 1915, \$85.50; Nov. 15, 1915, \$99.15; Dec. 15, 1915, \$38.83; Jan. 15, 1916, \$24.40; Feb. 15, 1916, \$45.72; March 15, 1916, \$151.76; April 15, 1916, \$163.14; May 15, 1916, \$125.91; June 15, 1916, \$119.61; July 15, 1916, \$144.18; Aug. 15, 1916, \$279.89; Sept. 15, 1916, \$214.76; Oct. 15, 1916, \$186.34; Nov. 15, 1916, \$219.97; Dec. 15, 1916, \$333.89; Jan. 15, 1917, \$17.47; Feb. 15, 1917, \$28.91; March 15, 1917, \$14.75; April 15, 1917, \$16.10; May 15, 1917, \$16.10; June 15, 1917, \$16.10.

At the amount of \$16,110.75, to the order of the New England Structural Co. was also produced.

"If you in your records, Mr. Rourke, read where any tax had been assessed against the Merrimack Tea Co. for the years 1915 and 1916?"

A—Yes, sir.

Q—If you in your records, Mr. Rourke, read where any tax had been assessed against the Merrimack Tea Co. for the years 1915 and 1916?"

A—Yes, sir.

Q—If goods are purchased by the purchasing agent, the bill goes to the council. It bears on its face the signature of the purchasing agent, denoting his approval of the amount and the price?

A—Yes, sir.

Q—Have you examined the records of your office for bills against the city in favor of the Merrimack Tea Co.?"

Witness then produced a pile of bills which were offered by Mr. Regan.

At this time Deputy Sheriff George P. Stiles appeared in the chamber and read notices from the clerk of the supreme court, and which, in effect, order the recognition of Robert J. Thomas as superintendent of the water works department, and Edward H. Foye as purchasing agent. Messrs. Brown, Morse and Warnock were also sum- moned to testify at Wednesday's hear- ing.

The hearing then continued. Mr. Regan reading the bills which had been brought to the meeting by Mr. Paige. Most of the goods purchased, according to these bills, were for the City Hall, for the hospital. The goods consisted of eggs, lemon filler, tanglefoot fly- paper, rice, mince meat, flour, cheese and tapioca.

Mr. Regan was still reading the bills when Mr. Quia suggested that a witness from Boston, Mr. Pitts of the New England Structural Co. be placed on the witness stand. Mr. Regan ob- jected, saying it would take more time than was at the disposal of the council.

However, Mr. Regan and Mr. Quia agreed that the reading of the chamber and looked over the letters which Mr. Pitts had brought with him.

At 5.50 p. m. adjournment was taken to 8 a. m. today.

Paige was recalled.

Q—On the bills of the Merrimack Tea Co. what is your usual custom on bills of that kind?

A—We mark them approved by the commissioner, and we issue a warrant on the treasurer for payment.

The bill from the New England Structural Co. amounting to \$16,110.75 was produced, identified by Mr. Paige and offered by Mr. Regan as evidence. The bill had the approval of Mr. Foye, and on this bill a warrant was drawn on the treasurer for payment?

A—Yes, sir.

Mr. Regan returned and again he was questioned as to assessments of A. H. Foye.

Q—What do you find assessed to A. H. Foye in 1915?

A—Poll tax.

Q—Any personal property?

A—I can't find any.

The bill of the New England Struc- tural Co. was again taken up at the request of Mr. Quia, and Mr. Regan reading a certificate attached to the bill signed by the city treasurer, Henry L. Rourke. On the back of the bill was found the approval of Commis- sioner Donnelly and Commissioners Morse and Putnam, the two latter as auditors.

Mr. Brown—Before a bill is finally approved does the purchasing agent ex- amine it and approve it?

A—If the goods were purchased through his office, yes, and then it is taken to the commissioner for ap- proval.

At 9.30 the hearing adjourned till 1.30 this afternoon.

LOWELL SUBSCRIPTIONS TO LIBERTY LOAN

The six banks and trust companies interested in the Liberty Loan proposi- tion reported at the close of business last night an aggregate actually sub- scribed of \$1,616,000. Added to this should be the sum of \$236,000 which has been subscribed through Boston sources from Lowell.

The Lowell Liberty Loan committee finds the local demand for the bonds to be tremendously increasing. The in- dustries are beginning to report the results of the campaign among their employees, the great majority of whom are to pay for the bonds out of their earnings in the coming weeks. The em- ployers financing the bond purchases in the meantime. More than 3000 em- ployees are included in the returns from the 12 corporations reporting, in- cluding the United States Cartridge Co., which heads the list with 768 in- dividual subscriptions, totalling \$50,000; the Merrimack Manufacturing Co., with 750 individual subscriptions, to- tallying \$45,300; the Boot mills, the Massachusetts cotton mills, United States Bunting Co., Lowell Gas Light corporation, Lowell Bleachery, Inter- national Steel and Pipe Works, the Lam- son Co., Massachusetts Mohair Plush Co., Whitall Manufacturing Co., Bel- videre woolen mills and Stirling mills.

TEACHERS ORGANIZATION

The Lowell Teachers Organization held its last meeting of the season in the Green school house yesterday afternoon, the teachers of the Green school district being the hostesses.

Miss Helen A. Osgood entertained delightfully in readings, quite carrying the organization by storm, her original monologues being especially liked.

Miss Jennie L. Allen, the retiring president, in her annual report referred to a statement coming from a member of the state board of education, that Lowell has become one of the leading centres of University Extension work, and this is due to the efforts of the Teachers Organization.

Miss Mary F. Devine, who was elected president of the organization at an earlier meeting, now takes charge of the work, and the first meet- ing of the coming season will be in September.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Confederate veterans today entered upon the second day of their 27th annual reunion with a strenuous program of ac- tivities ahead, an important part of which were the annual memorial exercises for the Confederate dead at Arlington cem- etery.

If you want to reach the people who spend their money in Lowell ad- vertise in The Sun, Lowell's greatest newspaper.

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Accommodations are ideal. You can "rough it" or at one of the famous mountain inns, chalets or camps. Your board and lodging will cost you from one to five dollars a day.

Our mail, your address on a postal, and I will gladly mail you booklets and maps giving full information, and explain how comfortably and economi- cally the Burlington Railroad can take you there.

Alex. Stocks, New England Pass. Agt., C. B. & Q. R.R. Co., 264 Wash- ington street, Boston.

First Since 1853
BOSTON, June 6.—Three hundred and twenty delegates elected by the people of Massachusetts met at the state house today to prepare for submission to the voters amendments to the present con- stitution, adopted in 1780, or a new document of fundamental principles. It was the first constitutional conven- tion in this state since 1853.

The opening address was delivered by Gov. Samuel W. McCall. This was followed by orators from the two camps. John L. Bates was the candidate of the so-called conservatives for presiding officer, while the element which in the campaign for election of delegates stressed on advocacy of adoption of the initiative and referendum nominated Sherman L. Whipple, a Boston lawyer.

14 PERSONS KILLED BY TORNADOES

KANSAS CITY, Mo. June 6.—Torna- does last night caused the death of 14 persons, the injury of half a hundred and much property damage in Mis- souri and Kansas, despatches from various sections today showed.

FAREWELL PARTY
A farewell party was given recently to Mr. John Kennedy of the United States Cartridge Co. at the Falcons' camp at Willowdale. Mr. Kennedy is about to leave for France for military duty, and his fellow employees from the plant gathered to express their wishes for his success. A supper was served and an interesting program carried out. Among those who took part were George Canby, Joseph Grady, Martin Calnan, Jas. McCann, Misses Emily Nolan, Tessie Hunt, Helen Cronley, Gertrude and Mabel Smith and Gustie Duffy. The accom- panists were Helen O'Connor and Patrick Flannery. During the evening a purse of gold was presented to Mr. Kennedy by Joseph Grady on behalf of those present.

RECRUITING OF ITALIANS
Unnaturalized Will Be Called by Ital- ian Government While Naturalized Will Join U. S. Colors
WASHINGTON, June 6.—Details of an agreement under which unnatu- ralized Italians in the United States may be recruited by the Italian government while naturalized Italians will be left to help American agriculture and in- dustries were today in the hands of General Guglielmotti, military attache of the Italian mission, to be worked out with American officials.

The mission today conferred with government officials and will attempt to finish its work by the end of the week before starting on a tour of American cities.

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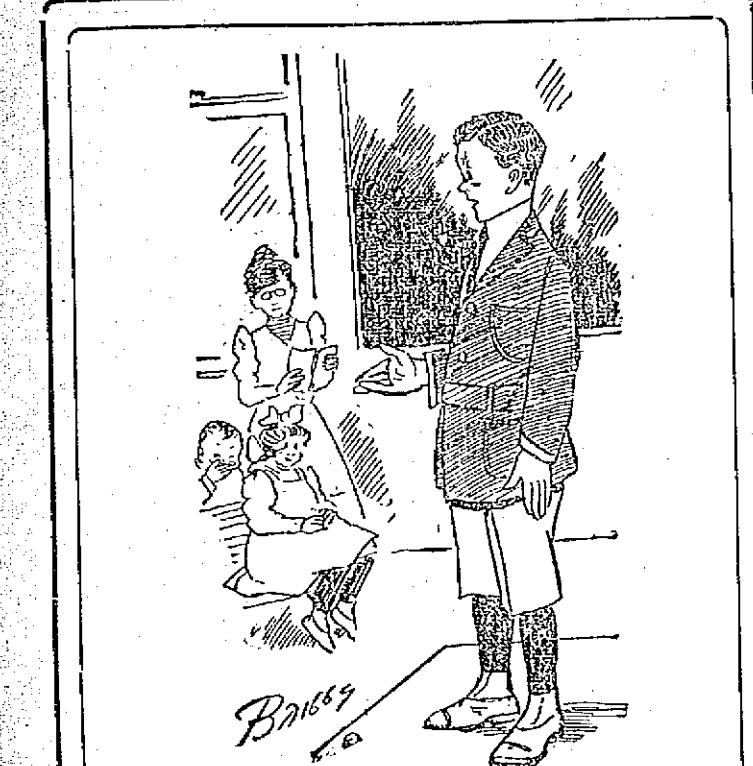
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REGISTRATION DAY BIG SUCCESS IN LOWELL

Without a semblance of disorder and with every evidence of willingness to serve, approximately 1,000 youths of Lowell rallied round the flag yesterday and inscribed their names on the nation's roll of honor. The entire city seemed to have sensed the significance and solemnity of the day and not a single violation marked the enrollment. So great was

the rush to register that many of the listing places were compelled to keep open until long after midnight. It was a strenuous night for the members of the board of registrars and the eight volunteers, who assisted them in the work of compiling the registration cards which were gathered from the various precincts. Continued on page nine

BRITISH POUND FOE NEAR LENS

British activities in the vicinity of Lens indicate that Gen. Haig has determined to make that coal city and the mining district around it so uncomfortable for the Germans that they will be forced to retire from it.

While the artillery was roaring away in Belgium, giving promise of a British offensive movement there, an attack was suddenly launched last night at points from the vicinity of Lens southward to the Scarpe. The thrust was a successful one in the further process of rendering Lens untenable. The British not only progressed on the western slopes of the Scarpe but pushed near Lens on its western outskirts.

British Success in Belgium

Meanwhile the British activity in Belgium is by no means to be lost sight of. German newspaper comment indicates that the Berlin staff expects a British offensive movement there. The German commentators are speculating with some concern on the heavy artillery fire that is going on and the considerable concentration of troops reported behind the Belgian front.

Heavy Damaged at Ostend

The recent naval and aerial operations by the British on German bases in Belgium have been notably successful. Photographic observations have revealed heavy damage at Ostend, where the greater portion of the dockyards and workshops were damaged and several vessels sunk.

French Hold Ground

On the French front Gen. Petain's forces have had to withstand two more heavy German attacks in the region northwest of Braye in the Aisne district. The Germans not only failed to gain their objective but lost heavily. The French line was maintained intact.

Six German Air Raiders Lost

The latest German airplane raid on England seems to have resulted somewhat disastrously for the raiding forces. Besides having two of their machines brought down during the raid they suffered the loss of four more during the flight back home through attacks by British machines of the pursuing forces and others from Dunkirk.

Fever Ships Lost

The weekly toll of German submarines will be made public in London today and the forecast from the British capital, usually inspired, predicts that the announcement will carry the cheering news of another marked decrease in merchant shipping losses. The ravages of the U-boats have steadily diminished since the week ending April 22 when 55 ships were sent to the bottom. Last week only 18 vessels were reported sunk.

The tightening curb on the submarines has synchronized with the arrival of American destroyers to take part in the campaign and a renewal of British raids by air and sea on the U-boat bases on the Belgian coast, especially powerful attacks having been made on Zebrugge.

Rioting in Stockholm

The unrest which is seething throughout continental Europe has led to a fresh manifestation in an outbreak of rioting in Stockholm. For some months there have been reports of growing discontent among the masses of the Swedish people, and now comes the significant news of military and police guards thrown about the parliament building and clashes between the workers and the police. In Austria and Spain two other storm centers whence have come many indications of trouble.

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Edith G. Lowell, High School Commercial Dept.

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German Attacks Repulsed
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"Upon sight of the submarine the steamer hoisted the American flag and waited for about ten minutes. As the submarine approached the steamer fired. The submarine re-

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SPRINGFIELD, Mo., June 6.—Plans to abduct a St. Louis manufacturer of munitions, as a part of a German conspiracy to block the shipment of such supplies were confessed here today to Paul O'Day, prosecuting attorney, by C. J. Piersol, one of the six men held in connection with the disappearance of Lloyd Keel, 14 months old son of J. Holland Keel. Mr. O'Day announced the confession.

The plan was given up as impracticable, Piersol said. Authorities previously had announced that the six arrested persons had confessed other plots including a plan to abduct and hold for ransom C. A. Clement, a Springfield jeweler. Interest today centered in Prosecutor O'Day's trip into the country in search of the Keel baby. He was accompanied by one of the alleged plotters and hoped to return the baby to its parents tonight.

Under arrest in addition to Piersol are Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Adams; their sons, Clayton and Maxie Adams; and Sam McGinnis. McGinnis denied any connection with the alleged plots.

HEAVY DAMAGE AT OSTEND
LONDON, June 6, 2.39 p. m.—Photographic reconnoissances of the Belgian port of Ostend, recently attacked by British sea forces show that a majority of the dockyard workshops were damaged. It is announced officially. Serious damage was done to other harbor works and several vessels were sunk.

The official statement says:
"A photographic reconnoissance over Ostend shows as a result of yesterday's bombardment from the sea that a majority of the workshops in the dockyard were either seriously damaged or totally destroyed.
"The entrance gates to the dockyard basin, the wharf, the submarine shelter and a destroyer under repair were badly damaged. It appears also that several vessels were sunk."

TROOPS RESTORE ORDER AT BUTTE, MONT.
BUTTE, Mont., June 6.—After the streets had been cleaned and 65 soldiers arrested, National Guard troops, called by local authorities last night to assist in thwarting an anti-war demonstration in this city were returned to barracks this morning, order having been restored. Minor injuries were sustained by some of the rioters and many of the police. The disturbance resulted from an effort of Finns to hold an anti-draft demonstration.

NEW YORK, June 6.—The Harvest, 201, trotting stallion in the stock of C. K. G. Billings which is being publicly auctioned here today, brought \$30,100. The purchaser was Paul Kuhn of Terre Haute, Ind.

Peter Dillon, 211½, stallion was sold for \$3000 to the Elm Pine Farms at Greenwich, N. Y.

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GERMAN AIR RAID ON SHEERNESS, ENGLAND
BERLIN, June 6, via London, 4 p. m.—A German air squadron has dropped more than 5000 kilograms of bombs on military establishments at Sheerness, England, German army headquarters announced today. Good hits were observed.

Reporting on the aviation activities of the western front forces, the official statement says:
"One of our airplane squadrons dropped more than 5000 kilograms of bombs on military establishments at Sheerness, at the mouth of the Thames. Good hits were observed.
"During numerous aerial battles along the front the enemy lost 11 airplanes. Lieut. Altmeppen secured his 25th and 26th victories and Lieut. Voss his 33rd victory."

AMSTERDAM, June 5, via London, June 6.—The Holland-America line steamer Ryndam will sail tonight for New York by way of Halifax, having on board 130 saloon passengers, 300 second class passengers and more than 200 in the steerage. She carries no cargo or mail. Barely a dozen Americans have taken passage on her.

The majority of the passengers are Dutch civil servants, military officers or planters bound for the East Indies by way of San Francisco.

It is authoritatively stated that the regulation excluding the transport of male subjects of belligerent nations who are of military age as at present applied to Americans is carried out on the company's boats. The company is declining to carry to America German women and children owing to uncertainty as to the attitude of the United States in this connection.

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BERLIN, June 6, via London, 4.03 p. m.—A British attack delivered yesterday only succeeded in penetrating the German position at the Roux railway station where fighting continued for small sections of trenches, says today's army headquarters statement.

AMERICA'S MILLIONS ARE NOW READY FOR WAR

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Provost Marshal General Crowder announced this morning that inasmuch as all registrars had been given until noon to make up their reports, no entirely complete returns of the registration could be expected until late today.

The provost marshal general also notified all governors that he had interpreted the law to permit any who in good faith failed to register yesterday to do so today and announced that a liberal policy would be pursued to make the registration complete.

General Crowder sent this telegram to all governors:
"Attention is invited to paragraph 40 of the regulations which contemplates the registration of persons who for any reason shall not have been registered on registration day. While scrutiny should be made of each case to determine whether punitive action is required, it is desired for the next few days to pursue a liberal policy in this regard in order that the registration may be made complete at the earliest possible moment. Non-residents may also continue to register under the provisions of paragraph 64. If it later appears that the liberality of this policy is being abused, more stringent action will be taken. Cards received from absentees after June 5 should be filed as prescribed in paragraph 40."

Telegraphic reports to the department of justice from widely separated sections of the country continue to show general absence of trouble over

registration and a thorough response to the provisions of the conscription law. The reports indicated that estimated registration had been largely exceeded in some states.

Lowell's Report Received
WASHINGTON, June 6.—Wisconsin's total registration was estimated by Gov. Philipp at 218,700. This was the first state to report. The census bureau placed Wisconsin's estimated registration at 229,507.

The mayor of Lowell, Mass., reported the registration there at 10,977.

Complete returns from New Jersey, the first to come in, show registration of 302,566. The estimate by the census bureau was 303,563. At noon no governor of any other state had made a complete report.

Governors of Missouri and Ohio stated that their reports would be delayed because of storms.

Mayor Burns, of Troy, N. Y., reported registration as 7339, of which 2875 claimed exemption.

Millions Obey Call
WASHINGTON, June 6.—America's millions of the military age prescribed by congress are registered for the war against Germany. In every state in the Union today reports from the polling places to which some ten million young men marched yesterday to record their

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ELECT BATES PRESIDENT OF CONVENTION

BOSTON, June 6.—Former Gov. John L. Bates, leader of the so-called conservative element, was elected president of the constitutional convention at its opening session today. He received 177 votes to 132 for Sherman L. Whipple of Boston, who was the choice of delegates committed to the initiative and referendum.

A petition was presented to the convention on behalf of Patrick H. Jennings, formerly president of the Boston Central Labor union, asking him to withdraw his name for election as delegate at large. Bates was defeated as a candidate for delegates at large.

A committee on rules and procedure, consisting of 19 members, was appointed by President Bates and the convention adjourned until Monday.

How Lowell Men Voted
Only two of the Lowell members, William H. Wilson and Greenwood Willard Bates, voted for Bates. Others in the near vicinity of Lowell, who voted for him, were Edward Fisher of Westford, E. J. Robins of Chelmsford, M. A. Buck of Billerica and C. W. Clark of Wilmington, one of the congressional district delegates.

The Lowell delegates who voted for Whipple were S. J. Adams, H. V. Charbonneau, Peter Daley, J. W. Daly, P. F. Nestor and John J. O'Connell.

REAR-END COLLISION
Ten Passengers on Two Electric Cars So Badly Injured That They Had to Be Taken to Hospital

PAWTUCKET, R. I., June 6.—In a rear-end collision today ten passengers on two electric cars which were conveying shoppers to Phillipsfield were so badly injured that they had to be taken to a hospital. Several were found to have fractured limbs but all are expected to recover. Other passengers were severely shaken and bruised. Recent billing of streets caused the rails to be unusually slippery.

FREIGHT RATES
With Cross Examination of Shippers' Witnesses Interstate Commerce Commission Completed Hearings

WASHINGTON, June 6.—With cross-examination of shippers' witnesses, the interstate commerce commission today completed hearings of protests against the proposed 15 per cent increase in freight rates asked by the railroads.

GERMAN PRESS PEZZLED
LONDON, June 6.—A Central News despatch from Amsterdam says that the German newspapers are exhibiting considerable concern on account of the greatly increased artillery activity in Belgium, along the salient between Ypres and Wytschaete which has been mentioned repeatedly in the official communications. In Germany this is believed to be the forerunner of a new and fierce action. The concentration of troops made behind the salient from greatly puzzled the German press, which speculates as to what will be the next move.

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ADVISED OF RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT

LONDON, June 6.—According to an official despatch from Petrograd, Gen. Michael Alexiev, who recently retired from the chief command of the Russian armies, has been appointed military adviser of the provisional government.

CAPTAIN'S LICENSE SUSPENDED
PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 6.—The master's license of Capt. Franklin W. Burton of the steamer Concord of the Colonial line was suspended today by the federal inspectors of steam vessels for a period of 30 days. The Concord grounded on Hog Island, on April 2 while on her way here from New York.

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RECRUITING FOR ARMY AND THE NAVY

Registration day did not have any appreciable effect on the recruiting locally. Officers from the National Guard were at many of the precinct booths, but their efforts in this direction were only moderately successful. Four applicants were enlisted yesterday.

This morning at 9 o'clock at the Westford street armory 69 "crooks" went through their first drill in accordance with orders which were recently issued. The drill lasted until noon and was under the direction of the officers who are stationed here. The simple military commands were explained to the men including the position of a soldier, military salutes, courtesies, etc. These drills will continue twice daily, from 9 to 12 in the morning, and 2 to 5 in the afternoon.

A recruiting booth was erected on the Lakeview avenue show grounds this morning, and officers will be stationed there at all times to explain anything to would-be soldiers. A tour of the down town streets will also be made this evening.

There were four applicants at the regular army recruiting station in Central street yesterday, and the following men were enrolled: Anthony Ziegls, 53 Tyler street; William Dube, 7 Deerfield street; Stanislaw Tachinowicz, 58 Tyler street; and Arment P. LaFrance, 6 Eaglecourt street.

Naval Recruiting Station

It was announced at the naval recruiting station in Merrimack square this morning that 30 young men who have enlisted recently as apprentice seamen would be sent directly to the training station at Newport, R. I., on next Friday morning. The men will march from the station in Merrimack

square, headed by a band. Mayor O'Donnell will be asked to be present, and it is expected that a large number of people will be on hand to give the boys who were not slackers a rousing send-off. The men will leave the Midway street station on the 11:05 train. Following is a list of names of the men who will be in this contingent:

Henry Lewis Grand, 1 West 11th st., Lowell, Mass.
Walter Anthony Reagan, 95 Cushing st., Lowell, Mass.
Francis Joseph Reagan, 75 Cushing st., Lowell, Mass.

John Leo McPolin, 11 Worthen st., Lowell, Mass.

Joseph Ernest Bourque, 34 Rock st., Lowell, Mass.

Joseph Duxbury Pickles, 145 Merrimack st., Lowell, Mass.

Charles David Rosenfeld, 46 Apple st., Lowell, Mass.

Michael Henry Fitzpatrick, 3 Irving st., Lowell, Mass.

John Joseph Lovell, 103 Ennell st., Lowell, Mass.

Louis John Turner, 42 Saratoga st., Lowell, Mass.

Kenneth Willard Whittemore, 51 Bowers st., Lowell, Mass.

Michael Henry Whittemore, 51 Bowers st., Lowell, Mass.

Henry Aloysius Lagasse, 15 Water st., Lawrence, Mass.

Joseph Trickett, 142 Water st., Lawrence, Mass.

Richard Edward Harrity, 28 Fisher st., Lowell, Mass.

Thomas Francis McCabe, 33 Lundberg st., Lowell, Mass.

Fred Francis Leo Cushing, 13 Bradford st., Forge Village, Mass.

Bernard Michael McCabe, 47 Willow st., Lawrence, Mass.

James Francis Brosnan, 505 High st., Lowell, Mass.

Frank Leroy Spencer, 25 North Main st., No. Andover, Mass.

Peter Raymond Naden, 91 Maple ave., No. Andover, Mass.

Joseph Rosario Robillard, 16 James st., Lowell, Mass.

John Andrew Quinn, 112 Stromquist ave., Lowell, Mass.

Fred Wilkinson, 8 Granite st., Methuen, Mass.

Alexis Ducharme, 67 Farmland road, Lowell, Mass.

William Chester Curran, 70 Union st., North Andover, Mass.

Joseph Hecla Robillard, 16 James st., Lowell, Mass.

Richard Bohne, 54 Jackson st., Lawrence, Mass.

Frank Joseph Sullivan, 35 Tarbell st., East Pepperell, Mass.

William Henry Gallagher, 462 Fletcher st., Lowell, Mass.

Recruiting Posters

The officers in charge of the naval station would like to get the touch with the owners of vacant stores about the city in order to have them allow recruiting posters put in the windows.

The posters are quite artistic and property owners can "do their bit" by having them displayed.

The following young men have recently signified their intentions of entering the navy: Frederick A. Leary, Ernest F. Colbath, Harry Castle, Jr., Edward H. Green, Theophile Latoviere, Charles M. Collins, Mark J. Gallagher, Andrew J. Flannigan, Richard D. Stimpson, Walter Wilkinson, Thomas E. Buckley, Walter Williams, Milton D. Conlidge, Ralph S. Boyd, Robert C. Clark, William J. Moore, John M. Connelly, A. J. Cody, Harold C. Lord, Leonard C. Johnson, Edward L. Cadden, Edward P. Sheehy, Albert Flory, George J. Francis, Arthur P. Mulrean, William A. Burke, George V. Labonte.

New Lowell Battery

Battery B held its usual drill at the Westford street armory last evening, and plans for the dance which is to be held the 15th of the present month were discussed. Governor McCall has been invited to be present and several other

FOUR GERMAN AIRPLANES DESTROYED BY BRITISH

LONDON, June 6, 2:38 p. m.—Four of the German airplanes returning from yesterday's raid over England were destroyed by British pilots. It is announced officially.

One British pilot who pursued the Germans toward Dunkirk brought down two of the raiders. Later ten British machines from Dunkirk engaged the returning Germans, destroying two of their machines and forcing down four.

Sixteen German airplanes took part in the raid over Essex and Kent, dropping bombs which killed two persons and injured 29. Two German airplanes were brought down by British anti-aircraft guns while the raid was in progress.

MATRIMONIAL

Miss Margaret Adella Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thompson, and Mr. Chester Morrell Runkles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Runkles, were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, 121 School street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William F. English, Jr., pastor of the Kirk Street Congregational church, assisted by Rev. William A. Bartlett, D. D., of Lewiston, Me.

Mr. Runkles was attended by his brother, Mr. Ralph E. Runkles, and the bride's attendants were Miss Miriam M. Thompson, the maid of honor, Miss Mildred J. Bailey of Schenectady, N. Y., Miss Lilla M. Berry of Hamilton, N. Y., Miss Eleanor M. Brown of Brookline, Miss Hazel Hanchett of Lowell, Miss Julia K. Kingsley of Binghamton, N. Y., Miss Inez H. Kniffel of Friendship, N. Y., Mrs. Ralph E. Runkles of Lowell, Miss Marion Simpson of Lowell, Mrs. Richard H. Webster (Doris Bartlett) of Newton, and Miss Emily Wiggin of Lowell.

After the ceremony a reception took place and more than 60 guests were present. The ushers were Mr. William Angus of Jacksonville, Fla., Mr. Waldo Brown of Brookline, Mr. George Nixon of Leominster, Mr. Samuel F. Wright of Chelmsford and Mr. Richard H. Wheeler of Newton.

Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Runkles departed on their wedding tour. They will live temporarily at 305 Baynes street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Byram—Sanborn

Miss Bertha Lydia Sanborn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren F. Sanborn of 260 Mansur street, and Mr. Arthur Waldo Byram of Fitzwilliam, N. H., were married at the home of the bride on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Charles Newton Morris, D. D., of Amesbury, a personal friend of the couple, performed the ceremony.

Miss Josephine Dows played the wedding march, and a reception followed the wedding. Many friends from out of town are present.

After a wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Byram will live in Fitzwilliam, N. H.

Walsh—Moore

A pretty wedding took place Monday afternoon when Mr. Frank L. Walsh, of the Boston and Maine Railroad, and Miss Elva B. Moore of the United States Cartridge company of office force, were married at the home of the bridegroom, 62 Lundberg street, by Rev. A. W. Shaw of St. Anne's church. The best man was Mr. Fred W. Duncklee, and the bridesmaid, Miss Bertha Duncklee. After a trip to New

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Price, 25c or \$1, in aluminum pocket box, 10c.

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DIVIDEND NO. 131

A dividend of five per cent and three per cent extra will be payable at the office of the treasurer, 50 Congress st., June 15th, to stockholders of record at the close of business this day.

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Boston, June 5, 1917.

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These are of fine striped silk with Georgette crepe sleeves, new and are valued at \$18.50.

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By Purchasing Your SUIT Thursday Morning You Will Save

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To any woman who purchases a suit for \$15.00 or over we will give a discount of \$5.00—an absolute saving.

BOYS' SHOP

BOYS' \$1.25 LINED KNICKERS, made of good wearing wool tweed mixtures; seams reinforced; cut full; sizes 8 to 15, with watch pocket.

Thursday Morning .77

BOYS' \$4.00 ALL WOOL REEFERS AND TOP COATS in blue serge, Shepherd checks and mixtures; patch pockets, belted models, sizes 2 1/2 to 8.

Thursday Morning 2.77

LITTLE TOTS' 75c CHAMBRAY WASH DRESS—Pretty high waisted models made with pockets, sizes 2 to 6 years.

Thursday Morning .37

MISSES' AND GIRLS' SHOP

MISSES' and JUNIORS' \$12.50 ALL WOOL COATS in gabardine, mannish serge and velours; sizes 13 to 18. New models in green, navy and mustard.

Thursday Morning 7.77

GIRLS' \$6.00 ALL WOOL SAMPLE COATS in serge and Shepherd and velour checks and mixtures; sizes 6 to 14 years.

Thursday Morning 3.77

GIRLS' \$1.25 DRESSES in gingham, chambray and poplin; smocked dresses for the little miss, sizes 2 to 14.

Thursday Morning .67

Brunswick the couple will make their home at 62 Lundberg street.

Dunlavy—O'Keefe

The church of the Immaculate Conception was the scene of a pretty June wedding this morning, when Mr. Thomas F. Dunlavy and Miss Mary O'Keefe were united in marriage at a nuptial mass, at 5 o'clock, celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O.M.I.

The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of Georgette crepe, with trimmings of pearl and she carried lilies of the valley.

She was attended by her niece, Miss May Sullivan, who wore a gown of blue tulle, trimmed with duchess lace and carried a bouquet of Killarney roses. Mr. James Lane was best man.

At the close of the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the bride's home, 168 Shaw st., to immediate relatives and friends by the D. Page Co., after which Mr. and Mrs. Dunlavy set off on a honeymoon trip to New York, Washington and Philadelphia. They will be at home to friends at 168 Shaw street, after July 1.

The happy couple were the recipients of many costly wedding gifts.

Twitshel—McDermott

A pretty wedding took place this morning when George Twitshel and Miss Dorothy McDermott were married, the ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at the Immaculate Conception rectory. The bride wore white net with bridal veil and carried lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret McDermott, who was attired in blue crepe de chine and carried sweet peas. Harry Joyce of Harvard college acted as best man.

During the mass an exceptionally pleasing program was given, those sustaining the solos being Mrs. Sarah Cox, Miss Haggerty, Miss Burns, Miss Curtin and Miss Desmond. Miss Minnie Davey presided at the organ. At the close of the ceremony the bride and groom repaired to the home of the bride, 21 Port Hill avenue, where a wedding breakfast was served. The happy couple left this afternoon on an extended wedding trip to the Berkshires, Hills, and after July 5 they will be at home to their friends at 22 Humphrey street.

SUN BREVITIES

Best Printing, Tobin's, Asso. Bldg. Sec. beans for seed or baking, 52 peck. J. B. Cover & Co., 150 Middle st.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William E. Godwin of Chestnut street, on Monday, June 4th.

Florence E. Turner, of this city, received a diploma yesterday in the department of designing at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston.

Lowell was "bone dry" yesterday even to the drinking fountain at Monument square, the lid being on that place. This prohibition business is far reaching.

Herb E. Webster, Jr., who has been with the Kinkadee Kitties for the past four seasons, is visiting his friends in this city for a few days, while playing an engagement in Lawrence.

Patrick Keefe, aged 94 years, and residing at 57 Moore street, was seized with a shock at the corner of Gorham and South Highland streets and removed to St. John's hospital, where he was in a semi-conscious condition at the time of going to press.

Mrs. Gladys Whiting of Braintree, who received a fracture of the skull as a result of being struck by an automobile on the Lawrence-Lowell boulevard Friday afternoon, is slightly improved, according to reports from St. John's hospital.

The employees of the A. G. Pollard company will hold a flag raising Thursday noon at 12:15. The flag will be unfurled from the roof of the building. This event will have a double significance in that it will show the patriotism of the company and its employees and also will inaugurate the celebration of the Thursday half-holiday for the coming summer.

Before taking your train home from Boston get The Sun at either newsstand in the North station.

GRADUATION DRESS STOLEN

Sergt. David Petrie and Special Officer Frank Moore yesterday recovered a graduation dress which belonged to a girl who is to graduate from one of the grammar schools this month. The mother of the girl made the dress, which was valued at \$3.75, irreplaceable labor in making it, and on Monday afternoon, while the house was locked, someone entered the house and stole the dress. The matter was reported to the police and yesterday the latter found that a neighbor had entered the house, taken the dress and sold it to another girl, who was to pay \$3 for it.

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SHOULD BE MEDICAL OFFICER IN CABINET

NEW YORK, June 6.—The United States should in the near future have a medical officer in the president's cabinet, in the opinion of Dr. Charles H. Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., as expressed last night in an address before the annual meeting here of the American Medical Association, of which he is president. In his address Dr. Mayo asserted that, in the present war, the medical service has assumed an importance such as it never has before.

"The old army hospital gangrene is a thing of the past," declared Dr. Mayo. "A knowledge of the care of infections, prevention of typhoid, the cause and prevention of typhus, the old camp fever, also cholera, plague and fever of all sorts, including the new trench fever, is a training requirement of the army medical officer, and results in the restoration to duty of a high percentage of the injured."

"We must aid in all that will elevate the general standard of, and conserve, the American citizen. Prohibition is a war measure the value of which is beyond discussion. Medicine has reached a period when alcohol is rarely employed as a drug, being displaced by better remedies. Alcohol, only place now is in the arts and sciences. National prohibition would be welcomed by the medical profession."

"The benefit to our country after the present war in having some thousands of medical officers trained in sanitation, hygiene and the prevention of disease will be incalculable. Thorough tax examinations of recruits and the natural effects of prolonged life and overcrowding in trenches and underground structures, tuberculosis will be a menace to our soldiers, as it is today in France."

"It is most fortunate that our army medical service is in the hands of three of our ablest men. Surgeons-General Gorgas, Braisted and Blue, and we must laud the work of the general medical council under the able directorship of Dr. Franklin Martin."

"Medical men, your country needs you now and always. You must re-

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member that the state is permanent and does not exist for the good of the individual but that the individual exists for the good of the state."

Asserting that American army medical officers stand pre-eminent in science Dr. Mayo reviewed some of their most notable achievements, such as the discovery of the pneumococcus by Surgeon-General Sternberg, founder of the Army Medical School and the government laboratories of bacteriology and hygiene; the discovery by Major Walter Reed, James Carroll, Jesse W. Lazear and Aristide Agramonte of a method of controlling yellow fever; and the work of Surgeon-General Gorgas in ridding Havana and the Panama canal zone of that disease.

BRITISH BEAT OFF AIR RAID—2 PLANES LOST

LONDON, June 6.—Sixteen German airplanes came over the North sea last evening and dropped many bombs on the small towns and villages in Essex and Kent. Only 14 of them returned to their home base, for two were brought down by British guns. So far as late reports show only two Germans were killed and 29 injured in the bombarded districts. The raiders met with a lively reception, extra precautions having been taken by the British authorities after the recent very serious raid on the southeast coast of England, in which 250 persons were killed and wounded.

The Germans were attacked by British aviators before they had an opportunity to carry out their raiding intentions to any great extent and the British anti-aircraft guns were very effective.

The official statement says: "An airplane raid this evening was carried out by a squadron of about 16 airplanes. They crossed the Essex coast at about 6.15 and dropped some bombs in the country and on small towns in Essex, and then proceeded to attack the naval establishments in Medway."

"A considerable number of bombs were dropped and a certain amount of damage was done to house property, but the damage done naval and military establishments was practically negligible."

"The raiding airplanes were engaged by gunfire and pursued by aircraft. After having lost two machines they made off seaward."

"The casualties so far reported are two killed, two dangerously wounded and 27 wounded."

"According to a local report the pilot and observer of one of the air raiders brought down were rescued at sea and made prisoners."

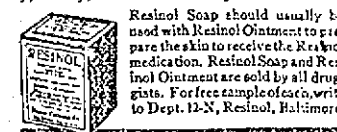
Warning sirens were sounded at some places prior to the raid and most of the people took to shelters. The small number of casualties is attributed to this precaution."

Persons arriving in London from the raided area state that ample warning of the approach of the raiders was given and that British airmen were patrolling before the enemy reached the coast.



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RINGLING'S BIG CIRCUS COMING JUNE 13

"Cinderella," best-loved of fairy stories, is this season's spectacle feature with the Ringling's Brothers' circus. The production is said to be the biggest thing of its kind ever produced under canvas. The gigantic pantomime was rehearsed for two months prior to its initial presentation. It then opened the program during the Ringling engagement at the Coliseum in Chicago this spring, where it delighted children and grownups for seventy consecutive performances. "Cinderella" and the entire arctic program is to be given at the Fair Grounds on Wednesday, June 13 exactly as it was produced in Chicago's great convention building."

The lighting and mechanical effects surpass those of a Wagnerian production. Most beautiful of the many scenes is that in which the entire fairy land numbering hundreds of woodland sprites give their wonderful "Dance of the Flowers." The fairyland atmosphere is maintained throughout.

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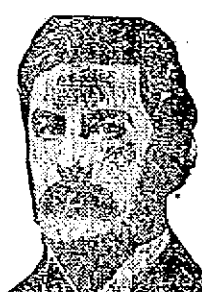
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While "Cinderella" is the feature of this season's Ringling program, it is followed by fully two hours of remarkable circus acts. Approximately 400 artists take part in the arctic numbers, the great majority of whom are entirely new to American audiences. A trained animal exhibition is introduced during the course of the main tent program, specially arranged for the enjoyment of the little folks. It includes an unusual number of trained bears, monkeys, dogs, Shetland ponies, birds, cats, seals and other creatures dear to the hearts of the young.

By His Excellency Samuel W. McCall, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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By His Excellency Samuel W. McCall, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

GOV. M'CALL PROCLAIMS JUNE 14 AS FLAG DAY

BOSTON, June 6.—"At no time in our history has the flag meant more to us than today," declares Gov. McCall in the Flag day proclamation issued by him yesterday. The governor's official proclamation is given as follows:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
By His Excellency Samuel W. McCall
A PROCLAMATION
FLAG DAY

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5 of the resolves of the Legislature, heretofore passed, June 14, 1917, as Flag day, and make proclamation that the day be properly observed by the schools, the churches and the people of the Commonwealth in every way that shall be in keeping with the purposes of the day.

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and that a more wholesome respect shall be had for the flag and that for which it stands.

Given at the executive chamber, in Boston, this fifth day of June, in the year of our Lord 1917, and of the independence of the United States of America the 41st.

By His Excellency the Governor, Samuel W. McCall.
Albert P. Langtry,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.
God Save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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GOV. M'CALL PROCLAIMS JUNE 14 AS FLAG DAY

BOSTON, June 6.—"At no time in our history has the flag meant more to us than today," declares Gov. McCall in the Flag day proclamation issued by him yesterday. The governor's official proclamation is given as follows:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
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LOWELL EAGLES TO BUY LIBERTY BONDS

Lowell aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, met in regular session in Harrington hall last night and during the course of the evening it was voted to instruct the trustees to subscribe \$500 to the Liberty Loan. Owing to the absence of Worthy President Cornelius O'Keefe, the meeting was presided over by Worthy Vice President Calain.

A communication was received from Worthy Grand President Rex B. Goodell, urging all aeries as well as the individual members of each aerie to unite in sustaining our government in the present crisis. Each member who is in a position to do so is asked to offer his services to some branch of the government service. To those who cannot serve in any active capacity, the grand president recommends that they show their patriotism by investing as much money as possible in Liberty bonds. He also urges all aeries to invest their funds in the same manner, as the grand aerie has pledged the order to take \$1,000 worth of Liberty bonds. It is also proposed to create a patriotic benefit fund, from which will be paid an additional death benefit of \$100 to beneficiaries of members losing their lives in any branch of military service, and also to enact laws in order to take care of families of members who are in the service. The aerie voted to instruct the board of trustees to subscribe \$500 to the Liberty Loan.

FAMOUS CIVIL WAR FUN
Rev. Mother de Chantal Died Yesterday in Brooklyn—Was a Sister For Sixty Years

NEW YORK, June 6.—The Rev. Mother de Chantal, whose fame as a philanthropist and an educator was world-wide among Catholics, died yesterday in Brooklyn, where she had been head of St. John's Orphan Asylum for Boys for 30 years. She was 84 years old and was soon to have celebrated her 60th anniversary as a sister.

Born Jane Keating in Ireland, Mother de Chantal was educated by the Brooklyn diocese. She was found in a hospital about the time the Civil war broke out. West Virginia was filled with crippled soldiers, and her care of them earned the lasting appreciation of the Grand Army of the Republic.

FRANCE'S PEACE CONDITIONS

PARIS, June 5.—By a vote of 433 to 55 the chamber of deputies, in secret session, has adopted a resolution declaring that peace conditions must include the liberation of territories occupied by Germany, the return of Alsace-Lorraine to France and just reparation for damage done in the invaded regions. The resolution, which was accepted by the government, also favors the creation of a league of nations for the maintenance of peace.

The secret session, which was adjourned from Saturday, continued all yesterday afternoon and evening until midnight.

The resolution, which was accepted by the government, reads: "The direct expression of the sovereignty of the French people, salutes the Russian and other allied democracies and endorses the unanimous protest which the representatives of Alsace-Lorraine, torn from France against their will, have made to the national assembly. It declares that it expects from the war imposed upon Europe by the aggression of imperialist Germany, the return of Alsace-Lorraine to the mother country, together with liberation of invaded territories and just reparation for damage."

Far removed from all thoughts of conquest and enslavement, it expects that the efforts of the armies of the republic and her allies will secure

once Prussian militarism is destroyed, durable guarantees for peace and independence for peoples great and small, in a league of nations such as already has been foreshadowed.

"Confident that the government will bring this about by the co-ordinated military and diplomatic action of all the allies and rejecting amendments which chamber passes to the order of the day."

BOY SCOUT FARM
For the next four months the Boy Scouts of Lowell will combine their usual summer camping activities with very practical work, the work of cultivating about 12 acres of land on the Coburn farm in Dracut. The land has been carefully prepared for planting, and in a few days the first contingent of 50 scouts will pitch camp near the farm and start the potatoes, beans, etc., on their way to growth.

The farming work will be under the guidance of an expert, a cook will look after the boys' dietary, and all the necessary work will be done to safeguard and make comfortable the scouts who attend. The boys will be paid for the farm work that they do, and practical instruction in scouting will also be given. There is still room for many more boys to enroll and do their bit, while spending an excellent summer vacation.

SOCIALISTIC CONFERENCE
PARIS, June 6.—The socialistic conference in Stockholm will form the subject of debate in the senate today. Interpellations have been announced by several senators. Premier Ribot asked for an extraordinary sitting today as he said the government wished to explain its position to the senate as soon as possible.

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ST. LOUIS RALLIED AND THE BRAVES LOST

ST. LOUIS, June 6.—St. Louis rallied in the 11th inning yesterday and knocked out Boston, 3 to 2. In this inning, J. Smith, Miller and Hornsby singled, J. Smith scoring. St. Louis took the lead in the second on a single, a double, a wild pitch and an out. Boston tied the score in the sixth on Willoughby's double and two infield outs. The score:

ST. LOUIS	ab	r	h	po	a	e
J. Smith	5	1	3	1	0	0
Gonzales	5	0	1	0	0	0
Miller	5	0	1	0	0	0
Hornsby	5	1	2	2	5	1
Cruise	4	1	2	0	0	0
Long	3	0	1	0	0	0
Snyder	4	0	0	2	2	0
F. Smith	4	0	2	1	2	0
Meadows	3	0	0	0	3	0

Totals	38	3	8	8	22	1
BOSTON	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Twombly	4	1	2	0	0	0
Ever	4	0	1	2	4	1
Willoughby	5	1	1	0	0	0
Magee	5	0	1	1	0	0
Miller	5	0	1	1	0	0
Konetchy	5	0	1	1	0	0
J. C. Smith	5	0	1	1	0	0
Truesdell	4	0	0	8	2	0
Rawlings	3	0	1	3	10	0
Tyler	1	0	1	0	0	0
Massey	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ragan	3	0	0	0	2	0

Totals 38 2 8 31 18 1
 *One out when winning run scored.
 St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-3
 Boston 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0-2
 Two-base hits: Cruise, Willoughby.
 Three-base hits: J. C. Smith. Sacrifice

hits: Twombly, Meadows. Double plays: Evans to Rawlings to Konetchy; J. Smith to Gonzales. Left on bases: Boston 7; St. Louis 6. First on errors: Boston 1; St. Louis 1. Bases on balls: Off Tyler 1; off Meadows 2. Hits and earned runs: Off Tyler, 3 and 2 in 2 innings; off Ragan, 6 and 1 in 8 1-3 innings; off Meadows, 8 and 2 in 1 1-3 innings. Struck out: By Boston 1; by Meadows 1. Wild pitch: Tyler. Umpires: O'Day and Harrison. Time, 2:05.

Cincinnati 6, New York 5
 CINCINNATI, June 6.—Cincinnati took the first game of the series from New York here yesterday, 6 to 5. The visitors made a run in the first and third innings without getting a hit. The local team was one run behind when they came to bat in the eighth inning. Shean singled, Mitchell doubled when Kauf fell down, allowing the ball to go over his head. Shean being held at third. Groh then filed to Burns, who misjudged the ball and when Burns turned to get it he fell and it went for a double, both Shean and Mitchell scoring. The score:

Cincinnati	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	2	—6	12
New York	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	—5	31

Schneider, Mitchell and Clarke, Hahn, Schupp, Smith and McCarty.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

Lowell's amateur ball teams are putting up such a fast article of ball that few fans miss the league team, which held forth here for several years. Many were of the opinion that the loss of the league team would mean that local fans would go to the Hub Saturday to see a game. While some do this little thing, the majority are satisfied with the kind of game played by the amateurs, and remain in the Spaulds city and take a trip to the common or park

to look over the future Cobbs, Mathewsons, Wagners, Maranvilles, etc. While the weather has not yet been very favorable, some fine games have been played here, and with the more propitious atmospheric conditions coming better contests are anticipated. The race for the championship is hotter than ever this season, and many teams are candidates for the honors. While a few of them are gradually being eliminated, it will take the entire season to give all a chance, and when the time arrives for the "post season series," Lowell followers of the national pastime are in for some great games. The fan is desirous of co-operating with the local teams in promoting their games, and will gladly assist by publicity or otherwise in doing "his bit." Send in your challenges and accounts; write on one side of paper.

The Senators of Haverhill would like to arrange a game or a series of games with any fast amateur or semi-professional ball team in Lowell or vicinity. The Emersons write this paper that they are willing to meet the Haverhill team and are willing to meet all comers. Address challenges to Joseph Bourque, 67-1-2 Summer street, Haverhill.

The Haverhill Juniors are anxious to arrange games with any 12 or 13 year old team in Lowell or vicinity. The Emersons write this paper that they are willing to meet the Haverhill team and are willing to meet all comers. Address challenges to Joseph Bourque, 67-1-2 Summer street, Haverhill.

The Young Lions would like to play the Graves Saturday afternoon on the South common. Communicate with George Souza, 52 North street.

WILLIE JACKSON WINS OVER CHICK SIMLER

BOSTON, June 6.—Willie Jackson, the New York light-weight, displayed such good ability in his bout with Chick Simler of Scranton at the Armory A.A. last night that the fans felt that it will take a great fighter to defeat him.

The 12th and last round had gone just a minute when Referee Conley stopped the bout and declared Jackson the winner. Simler had been knocked down with a right on the jaw. As the count of eight he staggered to his feet and fell helpless against the ropes. The referee, seeing his plight, showed good judgment in preventing Jackson from inflicting any further punishment.

Judging from the way Jackson worked last night, local fans who had figured he had knocked out Dundee with a fluke punch some weeks ago have changed their minds. He is a good two-handed boxer, with a level head. There is a great kick in his right and his left is stiff enough to do a lot of damage. He gets about on his feet well, too.

Jackson ran into a stiff right in the fourth and went to the floor, but was up in a second or two apparently unhurt.

In the last round Jackson went after Simler fast. He drove him against the ropes and then shot his right to the jaw, Simler going to the mat.

In the semi-final Benny Valger of New York won the decision over Paddy Owens of Cambridge in 10 rounds.

Sam Bell won the award over Joe Flynn in six rounds and Charley Mitchell knocked out Geo. Delano in two rounds.

Johnny Dundee and Frankie Callahan will be the headliners at the club next Tuesday night. Tony Vatin and Mickey Brown will box in the semi-final.

NEW YORK, June 6.—What is conceded to be the finest collection of highly bred trotting horses ever sent to a public sale will be auctioned without reservation at Madison Square garden today. In all there are 100 horses catalogued. This will be the dispersal sale of all the trotting stock owned by C. K. G. Billings, which includes the trotting stallion The Harvester, 2:01; the champion pacing colt William, 1:58 1/2; Peter Dillon, 2:11, and the imported Russian Orloff stallion Blon.

Besides the Billings horses 80 others will be sold, including the champion pacer Directum, 1:56 1/2, holder of 11 world's harness records.

AN AWFUL SLAUGHTER BY THE RED SOX

BOSTON, June 6.—Boston won the deciding game of the series with Cleveland yesterday by driving Gould and Morton from the lot in the second inning, when nine runs were scored. The final count was Boston 10, Cleveland 3. In the first inning on three singles, a double, a hit batsman and a sacrifice fly, Mays settled down after that and Cleveland was at a loss to score. In the second inning Boston made five hits before Gould was withdrawn. Two errors, a double and a single caused Morton to retire. Cumbe then took up the task and finished the game. The score:

BOSTON	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Hooper	4	1	0	2	1	0
Janvrin	3	0	0	2	1	0
Hobbs	4	1	0	0	0	0
Lewis	5	2	2	2	0	0
Walker	5	1	3	3	0	0
Gardner	4	2	1	2	2	0
Scott	3	1	1	0	1	0
Thomas	4	1	1	0	1	0
Agnew	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cady	1	1	1	0	0	0
Mays	4	1	1	0	1	0
Walsh	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals	37	11	27	9	1	0
CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Graney	4	0	1	5	0	0
Chapman	3	1	2	1	0	0
Specker	3	1	2	1	0	0
Roth	4	1	2	2	0	0
Wambagans	3	1	0	6	2	2
Harris	3	0	0	2	1	1
Evans	3	0	1	0	0	0
Gustaf	3	0	1	4	0	0
O'Neill	2	0	0	0	0	0
Billings	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gould	1	0	0	0	1	0
Morton	1	0	0	0	1	0
Cumbe	2	0	0	0	2	0
Howard	1	0	0	0	0	0

Two base hits: Roth, Lewis, Walker. Three base hits: Graney, Scott, Lewis. Stolen base: Wambagans. Sacrifice hit: Specker. Sacrifice flies: Harris, Janvrin, Hooper. Double plays: Scott to Hobbs; Lewis to Scott. Left on bases: Boston 6; Cleveland 5. First base on errors: Off Gould 1; off Mays 1; off Cumbe 1. Hits and earned runs: Off Gould, 5 and 1 in 1 inning (none out in 2nd); off Morton, 2 and 3 in 1-3 inning; off Cumbe, 5 and 2 in 5-6-7-8-9 innings; off Mays, 9 and 4 in 5-6-7-8-9 innings. Hit by pitcher: By Mays (Wambagans). Struck out: By Mays 1. Umpires: Hildebrand and O'Loughlin. Time: 2:05.

NEW YORK, June 6.—New York and Detroit divided a double header here yesterday. The Yanks won the first game, 5 to 1, and Detroit took the second by a score of 6 to 1. According to business manager Sparrow of New York, the crowd was the greatest that ever attended an American league game in this city.

Mitchell, who shut out New York in the first game of the series, was batted hard in the first game and driven out of the box in the sixth inning.

Cobb's work featured the second game. He hit Shaway for two triples, a double and two singles, drove in three runs for New York in the third inning, when he cleaned the bases with a two-base hit. Scores:

New York	5	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	—5	31
Detroit	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1	31

(Second Game)
 New York 5, Detroit 1. Hits and earned runs: Off Cobb, 5 and 1 in 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9 innings (none out in 2nd); off Mitchell, 2 and 3 in 1-3-4-5-6-7-8-9 innings. Hit by pitcher: By Mitchell (Cobb). Struck out: By Mitchell 1. Umpires: Egan and Stange. Shawkey and Walters.

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Remarkable catches by Felsch, Jackson, Leibold and Strunk featured the game which Chicago won here yesterday, 6 to 3. It was the second time this season that Chicago made a clean sweep of a series with Philadelphia. In honor of registration day the two teams drilled and raised the American flag, while Chicago players sang "The Star Spangled Banner." The score:

Chicago	6	0	0	3	0	0	2	—6	11	3
Philadelphia	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	—3	4	1

Benz, Scott and Schall: Seibold, Schauer, Falkenberg and Meyers.

ST. LOUIS 6, WASHINGTON 2
 WASHINGTON, June 6.—St. Louis split even on the series with Washington by winning yesterday, 6 to 2. Four runs were scored by the visitors in the ninth on singles by Severid, Pratt and Sloan and errors by Ayers and Morgan. The score:

St. Louis	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	—6	10	0
Washington	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2	4	3

Groom, Spethorn and Severid. Hale, Galina, Johnson, Ayers and Ainsmith.

LEAGUE STANDINGS	W	L	P.C.
American League			
Boston	25	12	.676
Chicago	20	13	.606
New York	23	15	.603
Cleveland	18	22	.450
Pittsburgh	17	24	.413
St. Louis	17	25	.405
Washington	15	17	.465
Philadelphia	13	29	.309
National League			
New York	23	13	.639
Philadelphia	23	14	.622
Chicago	28	17	.620
St. Louis	21	19	.524
Cincinnati	19	26	.422
Brooklyn	14	20	.412
Pittsburgh	14	27	.341

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
 American League
 Boston 11, Cleveland 4.
 Chicago 6, Philadelphia 3.
 St. Louis 6, Washington 2.
 New York 5, Detroit 1 (first game).
 Detroit 6, New York 4 (second game).
 National League
 St. Louis 6, Boston 2.
 Cincinnati 6, New York 5.
 Other games postponed—Rain.

JOHN L. TO SPEAK
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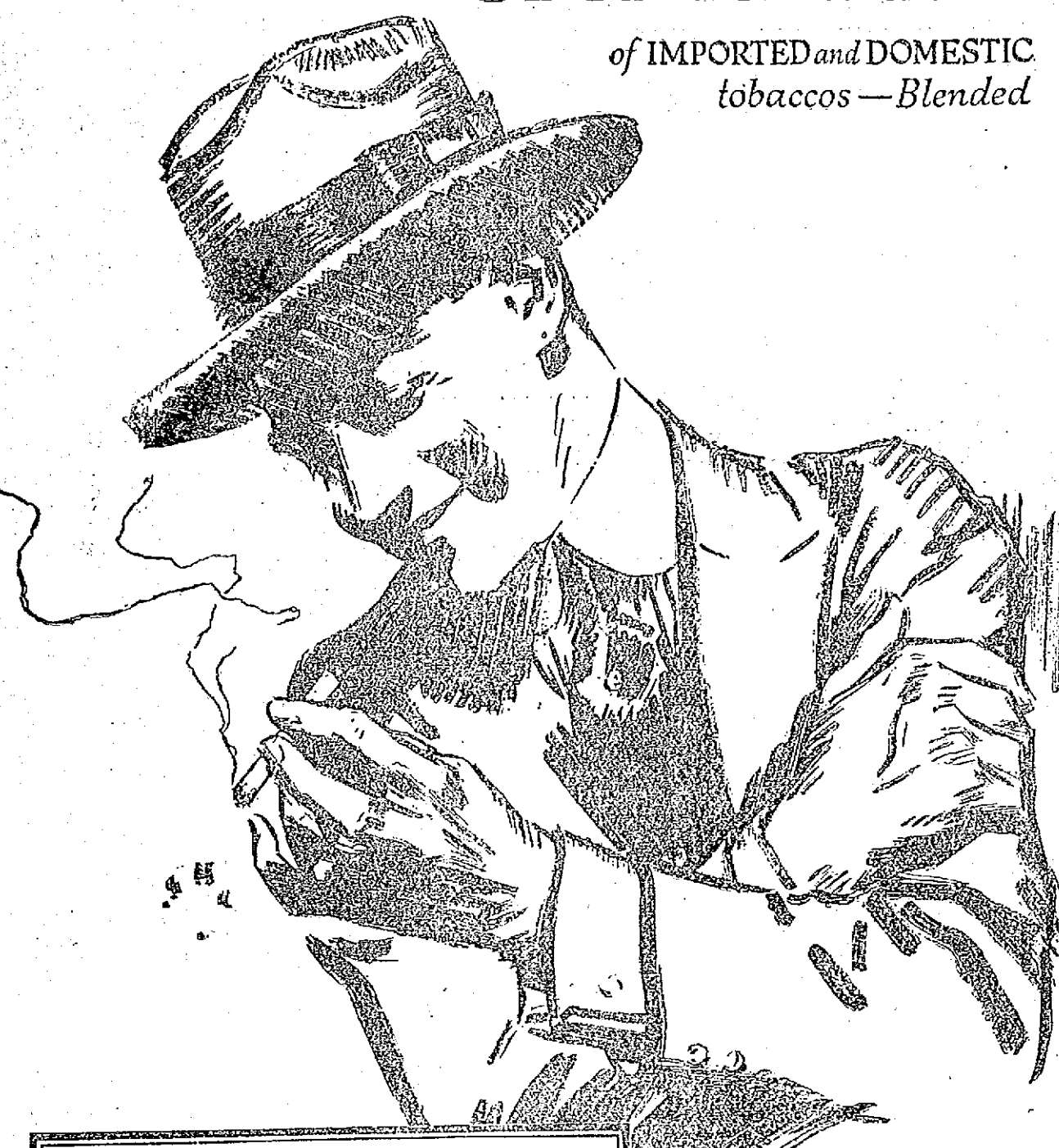
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ELECTS NEW PRESIDENT

Board of Trade Holds Annual Meeting and Election of Officers

James C. Reilly, Esq., Will Succeed Robert F. Marden as President

James C. Reilly, Esq., was unanimously elected president of the Lowell board of trade at the annual meeting and election of officers of that organization last night. The list of officers and directors for the coming year were also chosen, and reports of the retiring president and secretary were heard and plans for the future discussed. Mr. Reilly, in accepting the position, spoke of the growth of the board in recent years and the influence which it has at the present time. He said that the scope of the work of the organization has greatly widened and the demands made on the officers has greatly increased.

Robert F. Marden, the retiring president, spoke of the fine spirit which permeates the organization. Secretary William H. Bolger presented a very interesting report of the work of the organization during the year. The report of the treasurer showed that the board is in a flourishing financial condition, there being \$2250 in the treasury. James P. Owens, of the nominating committee presented a report consisting of the list of officers and directors for the coming year, and this was unanimously adopted. The list of officers is as follows:

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The ex-officio directors are Mayor James E. O'Donnell and former Presidents A. C. Walsh, H. A. Smith, Jesse H. Shepard, Harvey B. Greene, W. S. Watson, George M. Harrigan and Robert F. Marden.

President Marden's Report
President Robert F. Marden's report was as follows: The vitality of any board of trade or commercial organization is in the co-operation accorded its members by the members and the public at large, both as individuals and as industrial corporations. With genuine co-operation the possibilities for good in such an organization as the Lowell board of trade are unlimited, for in this single body can concentrate the essential activities, non-political, non-religious and wholly unselfish that a city like this requires.

In a credit to the board of trade that such a spirit of co-operation exists so strongly now that the organization has actually become a power for good in the city, capable of carrying out any definite policy with the assurance that the public will view the proposals coming from this source as not actuated by any partisan motive. In a city like Lowell a commercial body that can command the unlimited support and sympathy of both employer and employed, of industry, whether large or small, of merchants, of politicians, of officeholders, of all, is distinctly an asset not to be wholly discounted. On the contrary the board may be the emphatic voice of the people on many an occasion.

With a spirit like this the Lowell board of trade can do a great deal for Lowell in the years to come, for it is admitted that there is much to do. The development of a city along right lines, aiming at a definite policy of progress which could include the elimination of slums, of noisome alleys, of undesirable properties, of all the dead weight that encumbers any community of size and importance, and the substitution thereof of an air of modern cleanliness and an impressive appearance of progressiveness, is all a part of the possible duty of a board of trade. It cannot be doubted that Lowell is moving in the right direction and will continue to proceed thus if the board of trade will continue its existing policy of effective work. It behooves all men and industries in the city to continue to give freely to the board of trade officers and directors that measure of enthusiastic support that actually counts in the effectiveness of the organization. It has been possible to watch the local sentiment of pride of city grow in recent years. Probably no one effort so focused local sentiment as that wonderful industrial exhibition conducted in 1915 which was an eye-opener not only to thousands of the people here

but to the industries themselves. Men for the first time realized to a suitable degree the diversity of the product in this city's factories and the value and beauty of the finished work of the skill of the people here. Then and there was woven a fabric of public sentiment that has been of tremendous power in establishing a feeling among the industries, men and women of Lowell, that this city is a good city in the truest sense, for it is useful to the world. Another striking accomplishment of the board of trade along this same line was the publication last year of the volume known as "The Lowell Digest," wherein were compiled the main facts about Lowell. This, like the industrial exhibition, served to emphasize the best traditions of the city and added still further to the feeling of general satisfaction that is growing so strong among the people here.

The board of trade has undertaken many lines of endeavor, among them being the work in behalf of industry and along welfare lines as well. It was found that this city lacked the means of teaching the English language to thousands of non-English-speaking people living here. Through the instrumentality of the board of trade a beginning has been made on this and the babel of tongues now required throughout the city may in time gradually be tuned to a better semblance of the one real language of this nation. This is one of the important matters to foster and to maintain until there is a great tide of improvement to be noted in the city. It is for the benefit of all that our people are thoroughly Americanized.

After paying a strong tribute to the men who had been especially helpful during his administration, President Marden continued: "The aim of the board of trade is to be useful to the community. I am not unaware of the fact that we have at the moment the unqualified approval of the community with unusual unanimity, but I know full well that the credit for this cannot rightly be awarded to any one man. Our present strength as an organization comes from the ready support accorded from many directions, from the members of the board, from the directors and officers, from the secretary, from the city authorities with whom our relations have been uniformly extremely pleasant, from the business and industry of the town, from workers and employers alike, and from the public press. Much has been demanded of all by this board of trade and much has freely been given. It has been a pleasure to serve the board as its president, by far the most pleasant experience I have been so fortunate as to encounter in public or semi-public life. I and Lowell men are among the best in the world to work with and to work for. My personal thanks to you all are offered with a deep appreciation of your

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Will not miss our Annual Sale which began yesterday. The most important bargain event in all New England brings out hundreds of customers from the nearby towns, as well as the greatest crowd of Lowellites ever seen at any sale. Tomorrow we begin to fill our mail orders and there are stacks of them—coming from customers from Maine to California, all of whom recognize this silk offering as the greatest value of the year. We offer:

\$1.25 Samara Taffetas, Crepe de Chine and Shower-Proof Foulards, at 49c only, a yard

And the double width cloths of the same weaves, worth \$2.50, at only, 98c a yard

Matched carefully and put up in lengths for waists, dresses, kimonos, coat and suit linings, etc., etc.

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Right Aisle

On Sale Tomorrow, Thursday, A. M.

GREAT VALUES IN

FOOTWEAR

FOR THE FAMILY

Our first half holiday will be an eventful one in the great underpriced basement. The following special price inducements should prove a wonderful drawing power to those who can appreciate the unusual money savings.

Men's \$4 and \$5 Shoes for \$2.98—most of them carry the stamp of a well known named shoe. Just received from underwriters, 100 pairs of Men's Shoes and Oxfords. The shoes are in gun metal and vici kid on wide, medium and narrow toes. A lot of rubber soles and fibre soles in the lot. There is a small lot of narrow widths on the English styles that are very desirable. Former price \$4 and \$5, for \$2.98

600 pairs of Misses' and Children's Tan Elk Play Shoes, Goodyear welts on good fitting style; all sizes, 9 to 13 and 1 to 2; former price \$1.50 and \$1.75. Sale price \$1.29

Mens' and Women's Indian Moccasins, made of good durable leather. Just the thing for camping; all sizes in lot; regular price \$3.00 and \$3.50. Sale price \$2.49

See Window Display on Merrimack Street.

ON SALE THURSDAY A. M.

Palmer Street

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The Underprice Basement

Straw Hats

THAT WIN SMILES

Every man rejoices when straw hat time comes, and then when he can buy hats like these for so little, his enthusiasm knows no bounds. For the first sale we offer

80 Dozen Samples

of the new shapes and straws in sailors, in medium or low crowns of cable or saw-tooth edge. Other shapes in soft rolled or straight rims. The straws are Sennett, Java, Porto Rican and Mackinaw.

\$2.00 HATS, Reduced to \$1.69

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MOSQUITO NETTING

We have 1200 pieces of the Andrew McLean Netting (positively the best made) in black and colors, at 10c yard, or 8 yard piece for 75c

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ESTABLISHED 1875
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McCALL PATTERNS FOR SALE On Third Floor

175 Coats AT PRICES THAT MEAN ACTION AND SELLING

You should take advantage of this opportunity to purchase a summer coat at less than one-half the regular price.

SPORT COATS At \$ 7.50

Sport Coats in plain colors and checks. The materials used are wool velours, novelty mixtures, checks and plaids. Burella cloth and heavy weave serge; also Street Coats, navy and black serge, and mannish mixtures. This lot of coats is worth from \$12.50 to \$18.00. We are offering your choice of the entire lot for

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ON SALE TODAY, SECOND FLOOR



NEW DRESSES At \$9.75

118 New Dresses of taffeta silk, crepe de chine, genuine shantung, combinations of taffeta and georgette and fine serges; also Sport Dresses in the stunning new coatee effect. A good assortment of styles. Sizes from 16 to 44, but not every size in every style. Values up to \$20.00. Priced at

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OUR SO. AMERICAN COMMERCE

Mr. John H. Fahey of the Worcester Post, who is an authority on questions of foreign and domestic trade, has brought out in pamphlet form a series of, highly instructive articles bearing upon our trade relations with South American countries. The articles were originally published in the New York Tribune and attracted considerable attention on their first appearance. They show that a vast field for American trade awaits development through the fostering care of the United States government. The opportunities for extensive trade with each country are dealt with and the conclusion is enforced that we have been asleep in reference to our trade interests with South America, while the European nations have been catering for it in every way possible.

The freight rates to Europe from most of these South American countries near the Atlantic coast have been much less than those to the United States. The great disadvantage with which we had to contend was the lack of trading ships or in other words a merchant marine, England and other European nations before the war, had regular schedules for trading vessels leaving South American ports; and their lower freight rates gave them an advantage over their occasional competitors, from the United States.

From the opening of the war until April, 1916, shipping rates from American to South American ports were about 50 per cent higher than from corresponding distances in Europe. Then a still further increase in rates to this country became effective, until the South American business man could secure European merchandise at a freight cost fully 75 per cent less than if he bought the goods in the United States.

Before the war, the cost of moving coal from the United States to Buenos Aires was \$4 to \$5 a ton. Early in 1916 it was over \$25 a ton; and as a result steam coal was selling in Buenos Aires at \$28 to \$40 a ton. Hard coal sold as high as \$40 a ton. Because of this condition the railroads of the southern countries have been burning wood; and oil is being used for fuel by the big power plants of cities.

The rate on hides was increased in almost the same proportion as coal, but hides were sent to Europe for 25 per cent less. Before the war general hardware from the United States was carried at the rate of \$7 per ton. Last year it had increased to \$50 a ton. Other rates were in proportion; yet in spite of the submarine warfare the rates from Europe were 50 to 75 per cent less. It is difficult to believe that conditions so extraordinary exist; but the proofs could be multiplied indefinitely to show that these South American countries in point of economy, service and regularity find many advantages in trading with Europe rather than the United States.

Another example will suffice to show how this matter of ocean freight rates operates. We quote from the pamphlet in question:

"Bids were called for in Buenos Aires recently for cast iron piping. The contract amounted to \$1,500,000 and three leading American firms participated in the bidding. They were able to make a figure for the material on the wharf in New York City lower than their English competitors, but a concern in Birmingham, England, secured the contract, because of ability to furnish material which meant about \$25 a ton less, all the advantage coming from lower freight rates. Transportation is a part of the cost of all merchandise and notwithstanding all other advantages, we cannot go forward as we should in South American development until the shipping situation is vastly improved."

It appears that under peace conditions Europe has the advantage of service four or five times as good as ours. About 50 cargo ships a month sail from Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo and Buenos Aires to English ports and about 40 such ships from the same ports to Germany. To Italy, Spain, France and Portugal, the average is 40 to 60 ships per month. There are but 10 ships a month sailing to the United States under the American flag with about 15 more under foreign flags. Thus is seen the need of a merchant marine equipped to develop the trade with the South American countries. Private enterprise cannot be relied upon to overcome the opposition from Europe and, therefore, it will devolve upon the government to establish shipping lines to the southern republics and otherwise to compete for a share of the commerce that would come to our shores, if we only offered these people conditions equal to those obtainable from European nations. These South American countries are all progressive. They would in most cases prefer to trade with us if they could so with equal facility or with any advantage to themselves.

In 1916 our trade with the countries of the Pan American union amounted to \$435,000,000, which is about \$130,000,000 over previous records. There has been steady progress towards an increase of commerce with the Americas during the last fifteen years; but it has been held down by the lack of ships. It is hoped that this need will be supplied after the war by the freight vessels to be built by Col. Goethals to help bent the submarines.

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SENATOR WEEKS

On war questions in general and naval matters in particular, Senator Weeks of Massachusetts is considered an authority. The senator has felt that the revenue measures of the government carried too much money, that the demands of the government for war purposes should not be so sweeping at this time. During the recent debate on the army bill, Senator Weeks succeeded in having an amendment adopted by which the appropriation for army horses was cut from \$75,000,000 to \$25,000,000. In urging his amendment, he expressed the belief that one billion dollars should be enough for intensive military development in one year. Senator Weeks brings to the discussion of such measures the experience of the successful business man and also the expert knowledge of the man scientifically trained in naval affairs. Educated for the navy, Senator Weeks entered business and after attaining an eminent degree of success, he turned to politics. He is a man of genial manners and commanding presence, while as a speaker he is impressive and convincing.

SECRETARY LANE'S SPEECH

For the benefit of the people who are going about with the wine that this is not our war, there can be no better cure than to read the speech of Secretary of State Lane. His speech before the Home Club of Washington, D. C., Monday night, is one of the best yet delivered upon "Why we are in the war." It is clever and more to the point and more comprehensive than anything given out by President Wilson on the same subject. It is a model of straightforward, forcible and convincing statement of facts. It betrays the diplomatic logic so characteristic of the documents prepared by Mr. Lane. In this speech, he has rendered a valuable service to the country. He has put the lie down the throats of those who say we have no business in this war and that it is not our war. He has shown that had we refused to enter this war in defense of our own rights, the United States flag would be no better than an international doormat and that the status of this nation would have fallen in the same degree.

ACTION, NOT TALK, ADMIRAL

Admiral Sims is talking again. He is now boasting of an undiplomatic speech which he made a few years ago and claiming that his prophecy has been verified. He should remember that there are other powers at war with Germany besides England and the United States and that we are in the war not specially to save England but to vindicate our rights and overthrow the power that would assail them.

What the American people want to hear from Admiral Sims is not speeches but a report of the submarines he has captured. Hot air will not defeat Germany. Admiral Sims was sent to the war zone for business, not for vainglorious speeches.

THE STOCKHOLM CONFERENCE

The powers at war are all watching the possibilities of that socialist conference at Stockholm. In some quarters it is now alleged that even Germany, with which it originated, is afraid of it. The no-annexation and no indemnity shibboleths were framed in Germany and taken up by the new Russia. Neither England nor France can agree to them in view of German devastation of French and Belgian territory. Germany wants a peace under which she will get back her colonies and escape indemnities. We do not think she can get it unless the situation undergoes a great change in her favor.

THE REGISTRATION

The alien residents turned out in large numbers yesterday to register, but there was much confusion owing to the number of foreign nationalities and the difficulties of understanding some of those who wished to register. It would seem that there must have been many unsatisfactory cases which would require more time and consideration. In fact, many who witnessed the scenes in some precincts felt that another day would be needed to do the work effectively. What was true in Lowell in this respect must have been equally true of other cities in dealing with the foreign element.

THE ANTI-DRAFT AGITATORS

The government should silence the anti-conscription agitators such as Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and others. The Goldman woman has openly boasted that she is an anarchist and opposed to all government. The meeting did everything in its power to start a revolt against conscription. She and the other speakers should be put away where they will do no harm until after the war.

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Seen and Heard

The moon will register full today, but the moon should be alone in this respect.

Getting up early in the morning and spending an hour spading in the garden is an excellent spring tonic. It gives you an appetite for breakfast.

His Idea of Happiness

The table conversation drifted somehow or other to Eskimos. Said one of the grown-ups: "They say that the Eskimos are the happiest, merriest people in the world." "Well, why shouldn't they be?" burst out the young man, aged nine. "They don't never have to wash themselves or take a bath."—Fall River News.

Big Difference

A Scottish doctor, newly to the gun, ventured on a day's rabbit shooting. Chased by the ferret, each rabbit proved to be a quick moving target, and the doctor was not meeting with quite the success he anticipated. At length he lost his patience and exclaimed to the keeper who accompanied him: "Hang it all, man, those rabbits are too quick for me!" "Aye, doctor," was the keeper's reply, "but ye surely didna expect them (as he still like yer patients till ye kill them)"—Hillsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

Voluntary Prisoners

During the early weeks of occupation of Port-au-Prince by the American marines the patrols rounded up seventy-three prisoners. The jails being unsuitable at the time, these prisoners were parked out in a clean room over coral, where of course they were regularly fed. A few days after the collection of these prisoners the captain of marines asked his sergeant to go in and make a careful count of the prisoners, as he feared some of them might have escaped. The sergeant counted over his haul three times. "Well," said the captain, "are they all there?" "I can't make out," said the sergeant, "we put seventy-three of 'em in here on Monday and there's a hundred and two of 'em, mostly soldiers, in there now."—George Marvin in World's Work.

The Old Toll Roads

Good roads were first maintained in the east, and especially in Pennsylvania by means of toll roads, which were separated from the regular roads by means of tollgates or stations. No travel on these might have been made a charge was made for all sorts of conveyances. With the coming of the motorcar the fee for machines was

A Medical Mongoos

We can manufacture poisons within our own bodies which are as deadly as a snake's venom.

The liver acts as a guard over our well-being, filtering out the cinders and ashes from the general circulation. A blockade in the intestines piles a heavy burden upon the liver. If the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned, the system becomes loaded with auto-intoxication or ptomaine poisoning. Something is wrong with the liver, and we suffer from headache, yellow-coated tongue, bad taste in mouth, nausea, or gas, acid dyspepsia, languor, debility, skin or eyes yellow, the water is scant, and high colored, containing "brick-dust" deposits and bile pigments. At such times one should drink plenty of water between meals, and a pint of hot water before breakfast, and occasionally take a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of May-apple, leaves of rice and root of jalap, first extracted and put in ready-to-use form by Dr. Pierce nearly fifty years ago, and sold by druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Do not take mineral oils or so-called "Russian Oil," for the experiments by R. F. McDonald have shown that mineral oil may act as an irritant that produces gastro-intestinal disturbances and that it may cause tissue proliferation, simulating cancer.

The next important organ to be reckoned with is the kidneys. Kidney disease carries away a large percentage of our people. What can the ordinary person do to properly balance bodily health? The answer is not easy, but I advise everybody to eat less meat, eat coarse, plain food, with plenty of vegetables, drink plenty of water between meals, and take an uric acid solvent, such as Anuric (double strength), before meals for awhile. Anuric can be obtained at almost any drug store.

Dr. Hewson's

DENTAL TREATMENTS

are all guaranteed by a written warranty. When age, disease, neglect or accident interfere with your ability to chew food properly, it's time to consult Dr. Hewson.

No matter how bad the state of your teeth may be, we can bring them back to their original perfection. Incurable members will be removed and replaced by artificial substitutes so perfect and comfortable that you can eat anything and smile handsomely. Service is absolutely painless and inexpensive.

Examinations, advice and guaranteed estimates of the cost of putting your teeth in perfect condition are FREE.

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Worthless teeth are removed; curable members are treated, and new teeth provided the same day, providing, however, you come to Dr. Hewson's Dental Offices in the morning. All services and materials are guaranteed for ten years by a written warranty as good as a U. S. Treasury Bond.

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WORTH \$1.00 CASH

Any new patient presenting this coupon at Dr. E. L. Hewson's dental offices, No. 40 Central Street, will receive \$1.00 worth of work absolutely free. This offer is made to demonstrate the painless methods of filling, crowning and extracting.

Rootless, Gumless, Invisible Dental Plate

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Only at Dr. Hewson's Dental Offices can you secure this rootless, gumless, triple suction plate that cannot drop, rock, nor come loose. The closest observer cannot detect its presence in the mouth. Demonstrated free.

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made so high that in a few years hundreds of miles of good roads were built and maintained in excellent condition.

There are a few of these roads still in existence where a toll is charged in the Maryland, Delaware and Pennsylvania section. Most of these, however, have been eliminated on account of the state highway appropriation, and it is expected with the new federal appropriation of \$25,000,000 these tollgates will be a relic of the past.

His Duty Painful

A man who had been born and brought up on the range and had never seen or known a woman rode into a border town to see the lights. Immediately he fell in love with a buxom waitress and they were married. The cowpuncher bought another horse and the couple rode away to the far-off ranch, supposedly happy and content. Two days later the cowpuncher came back, looking very sorrowful—leading the other horse.

"Why, where is your wife?" asked the men about the hotel in concert as he rode up.

"She broke her leg the second day out," answered the cowpuncher as the tears ran down his face, "and I had to shoot her. I tell you, I hated to do it, she was a good woman." He added with a groan—Abilene (Kan.) Reflector.

A Fine Lad

Now observe our little Lad—is he not a young Apollo?

He will graduate this summer, from his college.

He is handsome and athletic, happy, bright and energetic.

As the grouchy old observer must acknowledge.

As a trigonometrician he is not without "Condition."

And his Latin isn't quite up to the standard.

But he's learned the dread enigmas of the Alpha Sigma Squares.

And his dancing is a thing that can't be slandered.

He is shaky on the data of the carboniferous strata.

And he ponied through his Plutons.

But at borrowing and lending, and at quick and easy spending.

He is vastly more efficient than his parents, yet at football he was fearless.

And a rumpus never found him in a jam.

And his will is always ready, and his eye is clear and steady.

And he drives an auto like a skilled mechanic.

He has missed examination, but he's up for graduation.

Though he won't be here to get his new diploma.

When he comes to get it, later, from his grateful Alma Mater.

For the ambulance he's driving where the shadows of Death are striving.

Keeps him busy, keeps him keen and undefeated—

And it's just as wise you'll find him as the lads he left behind him.

With their education only half completed!

—Ted Robinson in the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

True Friendship

No more striking demonstration of personal friendship exemplified in its truest sense has been seen in Lowell than at the informal reception tendered Rev. W. George Mullin at the Knights of Columbus country club on Sunday on the eve of the reverend gentleman's departure for new fields in the vocation to which he has consecrated his life. It was just after that reverend chaplain had said his farewell, his valetudinary from the veranda of the clubhouse, where 400 members sat about on the green, making a pretty picture on that balmy day in June.

"Next to my leave taking with the members of St. Peter's parish, I find this task of bidding you men good-bye most difficult," said Fr. Mullin. At length, when the cheers had rung out over the grounds, the reception came. Members fell in line to shake his hand and to wish him Godspeed. Almost invariably, Fr. Mullin responded to each in a most familiar way, calling each by his first name; a wonder-task, to be sure, to remember 400 men from all the city. It was a noteworthy feature of a notable day in Knights of Columbus circles, and showed what a hold the reverend chaplain had on the friendships and the hearts of the individual members. It was evident that Fr. Mullin was loath to leave the grounds and the men with whom he had been associated as their spiritual director and adviser. He said that he looked forward to the day when the Knights of Columbus can come down to Manchester-by-the-Sea for a day as his guests, his boys from Lowell.

Trade in Lowell with Sun advertisements and you will save money on your purchases.

Lowell Man Says

Had No Appetite

Henry Fournier, of 8 Ennell St., Says Plant Juice Has Restored His Health

His Health

"In olden times people were more careful of their digestive organs than now, and in this way they kept close to nature, learned the value of many



HENRY FOURNIER

of nature's medicinal herbs and plants, and used them with their food," stated the Plant Juice Man, who has his headquarters at Dows, The Druggist's, in Merrimack Square.

"Today the average man does not know of these plants, but he does know that Plant Juice is a concentrated extract of them, and that it is the one aid for all stomach, liver and kidney troubles, superinduced by the rapid method of living, prevalent among all classes of today.

Thousands have been benefited by the use of Plant Juice, in every city where it has been introduced. In Lowell, Plant Juice is duplicating its success as in other cities, and I am daily in receipt of signed statements testifying to the benefit received from sufferers of long standing cases of stomach, liver and kidney troubles.

Recently, Mr. Henry Fournier, of No. 84 Ennell street, who is employed by one of the largest mills in this city and has numbers of friends and acquaintances, stated:

"For the past 8 or 9 years I have been troubled more or less with my stomach; my kidneys also bothered me and I had terrible pains in my back, headaches and was very dizzy at times; my food would sour in my stomach and gas formed. I had no appetite, and in fact could hardly keep any solid food in my stomach; I dreaded to sit down to the table to eat anything. I suffered such distress afterward. My liver was affected, and I had a bad taste in my mouth continually. I had heard so much about the good that Plant Juice had done in this city, that I finally decided to try it. I am more than satisfied with the result, as it has toned my system right up, so that I am able to sleep well, can eat my meals, and my food does not distress me; the gas has left my system, and I am feeling the best I have in years. I give credit to Plant Juice for my recovery to health and am glad to recommend it to others."

The Plant Juice Man is at Dows, The Druggist's, in Merrimack Square, Lowell, where he is daily meeting the local public and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy.

The Sun is conducting this column with the co-operation of the National Emergency Food Garden Commission, to inspire the planting of more food gardens throughout the country. You should watch this column every day. Any questions should be written on one side of the paper and sent to the Garden Editor of The Sun.

THE BEET PLANT

No incurable diseases strike the beet plant with possibly one exception, the leaf spot. Plants attacked by this show purplish spots with gray centers on the leaves, says today's bulletin from the national emergency food garden commission in Washington which is co-operating with this paper in nation-wide campaign for the care of food gardens and against waste in American households.

Sugar beets seldom recover from this disease, but leaf spot on garden beets can be checked with bordeaux spray. The best is one of the hardest of tubers. The plants usually do not need the careful spraying prescribed for other vegetables. Sprays are only to be used when the plants are actually attacked.

Arsenate of lead sprays should be used for filling the two most common feeders on the beet plant leaves—the beet flea beetles and the web worm, both chewing insects. The web worm leaves itself in comfortable under the leaves and so should be sprayed from the underside. Both these insects are quickly disposed of.

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One case only to be sold for this price. Excellent quality, nicely finished. Drawers made with re-enforced seats.

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den commission in Washington which is co-operating with this paper in nation-wide campaign for the care of food gardens and against waste in American households.

Sugar beets seldom recover from this disease, but leaf spot on garden beets can be checked with bordeaux spray. The best is one of the hardest of tubers. The plants usually do not need the careful spraying prescribed for other vegetables. Sprays are only to be used when the plants are actually attacked.

Arsenate of lead sprays should be used for filling the two most common feeders on the beet plant leaves—the beet flea beetles and the web worm, both chewing insects. The web worm leaves itself in comfortable under the leaves and so should be sprayed from the underside. Both these insects are quickly disposed of.

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FRENCH STEAMER WINS BATTLE WITH U-BOAT

PARIS, June 6.—The defeat of a German submarine in a battle with the French steamer Orenouque is reported by the ministry of marine. The Orenouque, a vessel of 2312 tons, was attacked in the Atlantic on April 22 while on her way to a West African port. The submarine was sighted, half submerged and headed for the steamer while a heavy sea was running. The steamer immediately opened fire. After the fourth shot the submarine disappeared.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

The following notices are from the press agents of the theatres mentioned.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

"Joan the Woman," the super-film being displayed at the B. F. Keith theatre this week, is like the great Joan of Arc. Inspired, but, while we have learned to view the world's greatest woman as super-human, "Joan the Woman" is very human indeed—a woman suffering all the emotions of womanhood, but, foregoing them all for France. Here is shown, not the sanctified leading of armies by a goddess, but the suffering and travail of a woman to bear a new life to a nation. The picture is mighty, gripping, spectacular—45 feet above other pictures as Joan was above other women. In it is seen all the genius of one of America's greatest artists, Gertrude Barrar, the Metropolitan Opera House star, gave up her operatic work for months to help in the creation of this picture, and the results have established her as one of the premier film actresses of this land.

In "Joan the Woman" is all the tragedy and beauty of life. So truly is it staged and so universally fascinating is the life of the "Maid of Orleans" that we live the picture as it passes before us. The plot has been so cleverly constructed that it connects the story with the present time. The bridging of the span of centuries and the remarkably well chosen love interest that shows what this woman was like are touches that have made this a thrilling personal narrative. The plot is well woven and

ing to, rather than detracting from, the dignity of the character. The picture will be shown at 2 and 7.30 p. m. daily during the present week.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Now or never—if you would see the play which has thrilled thousands, you must attend the Merrimack Square theatre this evening and witness the "closing" performances of "The Masque of Life," the wonderful super play in seven acts which shows scenes which have never heretofore been attempted. In fact, this play has astonished manufacturers of films and his astounding entire public while in Lowell it has crowded the Merrimack Square theatre on the past two days. "The Masque of Life" will be shown in its entirety this evening. Everyone who can attend and see among other things, "Pete," the monkey marvel, whose accomplishments and display of intelligence are nothing short of wonderful. "The Masque of Life" is a play which is in a class with "The Whip," which was recently shown here and which will be soon presented again. Other plays which include the picture graph and a roaring comedy will constitute the remainder of this program.

The program for the last three days of this week starting with the Thursday matinee, will consist of the "Masque of Life," starring Carlisle Blackwell and June Elvidge. This play presents the question of whether a notorious woman can make a good school teacher. On the same program will also appear the lovely Fannie Ward in "Unconquered."

As the young wife of the millionaire, Miss Ward has a opportunity to display many of the most beautiful gowns from her wonderful wardrobe. The cast supporting Miss Ward is one of unusual excellence, including such prominent artists as Deney, Robert Bosworth, Tully Marshall, Mabel Van Buren and Little Billy Jacobs. Hobart Bosworth as the husband, infatuated with another woman, splendidly played by Mabel Van Buren, gives one of his customary finished performances. Tully Marshall, who will be remembered for his successful performance in "The Neglected Wife," plays the role of the half-crazed negro whose heart is filled with fear of the Voodoo woman. Little Billy Jacobs plays the role of the little son in his usual clever manner.

Also showing on the program for the last three days of this week are the latest Burton Holmes travel pictures, a comedy and other plays.

ROYAL THEATRE

Is it possible for a married man to honor and respect his wife and love her and turn to another woman? Many people have discussed this question; many women have thought that their husbands are drifting away from them; many girls have dreamed that such would be the case if they married. "The Neglected Wife," Father's best serial in which Ruth Roland is starring at the Royal theatre every Wednesday and Thursday, deals with this subject in an absorbingly interesting manner and developments in the fourth episode entitled "Beyond Recall" are such that Manager Huson expects a crowded house when it is shown upon his screen today and tomorrow.

The story is based upon the celebrated books of Mabel Herbert Underhill, "The Journal of a Neglected Wife" and "The Woman Alone."

Another and bigger attraction on this program is Henry B. Walthall in "The Birth of a Man," the latest Essanay production, featuring the noted player-actor of the films. Then is also shown a Vogue comedy and an episode of "The American Girl," the popular series of adventures featuring Marlin Sais and

a great Kalem cast. A fine show at the prices. Drop in and see.

OWL THEATRE

In one of the most sensational photographs ever filmed Theda Bara, the world's greatest portrayal of vampire roles, supported by Lowell's own favorite screen star, Herbert Heyes, will again be seen at the Owl tonight, tomorrow, Friday and Saturday, in the new Fox feature, "The Tiger Woman." This deluxe production deals with an unscrupulous Russian noblewoman, who by her wonderful beauty and enticing ways creates havoc among the upper strata of Petrograd, and then, invading America does the same thing in New York's smart set. How she meets the end which she deserves is vividly depicted in a smashing climax, the like of which has seldom, if ever, been seen on the screen.

Also appearing on the same program on tonight and tomorrow is the fourth chapter of the stirring serial "The Neglected Wife," starring Ruth Roland. Other features will also be seen.

JEWEL THEATRE

Tears and laughter alternate and mingle in the sensational new photograph, "My Fighting Gentleman," latest William Russell American Mutual feature, first of a series of six new plays starring Mr. Russell.

"My Fighting Gentleman" is a story of reconstruction days following the American Civil war, in which Frank Carlisle, a West Pointer of southern parentage, who, because he followed the stars and stripes into battle and wore a northern uniform, found himself returning there after peace had been proclaimed and was met with scorn by the girl he loved, because of her unswerving devotion to the south.

"My Fighting Gentleman" is specially shown at the Jewel theatre today and tomorrow in conjunction with Charles Arling in the Fox film comedy, "A Footlight Flame," final of the series of "The Perils of the Secret Service," with Kingsley Benedict, and the six episode of "The Railroad Raiders," with Helen Holmes, and some other Universal short length films.

CROWN THEATRE

In one of the funniest screen productions which have ever been shown on a local screen Marie Dressler, America's premier comedienne, will be seen at the Crown theatre today and tomorrow in "Tillie Wakes Up."

This play is a play of laughter, more laughter and still more laughter. This character of Tillie has been made popular all over the world by Miss Dressler in previous record smashing stories. The present vehicle gives her a better opportunity to display her large comedy abilities than any of the previous ones and after this place has been showing a short time, Tillie will be more known to the peer of all comedienne.

The local evening newspaper is the paper that reaches the home when the whole family is there to read it. The Sun fills this field in Lowell.

ADMITS AMERICANS ARE BORN FIGHTERS

AMSTERDAM, via London, June 6.—The Frankfurter Zeitung says:

"Our special correspondent at New York cables under date of June 3 that the American secretary of war admits in the newspapers that the conscription law is such a revolutionary novelty for the American people that a certain amount of reluctance to join the colors is understandable."

The Frankfurter Zeitung thinks that this is a serious symptom and interprets it as a condemnation of the war by the American people, "not because Americans are more cowardly or more indifferent than others," it explains, "for the American is a born fighter and would cheerfully rush to arms if convinced that his country's vital interests, real honor or existence was at stake, but this conviction is evidently lacking."

"From the beginning," the paper continues, "it was Wilson's war, and in the opinion of the American nation it clearly remains an enterprise frivolously begun, entirely unnecessary, and, therefore, highly immoral."

HARD COAL PRICES ARE COMING DOWN

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Efforts of the federal trade commission to lower anthracite coal prices are succeeding, the commission announced yesterday in this statement:

"The producers of a very great proportion of anthracite tonnage are selling their output at moderate prices so that the high premiums charged by a number of operators during recent weeks are beginning to disappear from the market."

"It is efforts to insure that the consumer gets anthracite coal at moderate prices the commission is requesting operators to report weekly all orders accepted, together with the prices of the same. As a basis for publicity, within the powers of the commission, production costs are being secured from operators who continue to maintain unjustifiably high prices. Anthracite jobbers are required to furnish the commission with a weekly report giving complete purchase and sales data and gross profits on each transaction. Agents are in the field keeping in close touch with retail prices so that distribution and prices are being traced all the way from the mine to the consumer."

TENTATIVE PLAN FOR FOOD DISTRIBUTION

A tentative program for food distribution in New England was given out yesterday by the Massachusetts Agricultural college through the committee on food production and conservation of the Massachusetts committee on public safety.

This proposed plan calls for a direc-

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Who in the world has not heard "Voices?" Imagination is nature's greatest gift to man. Joan of Arc had a vision. "Voices" told her she would crown a king of France.

Joan of Arc was a peasant girl, who could neither read nor write.

But she believed her "voices" and obeyed their message, and her name will live to eternity.

Not every poor girl may crown a king—there are not enough kings. But the story of Joan of Arc—as told in the most wonderful motion picture "Voices" told her she would crown a king of France.

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Another Winning Program of Plays and Stars

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"Unconquered"

A powerful drama with motherhood as the theme and Miss Ward as the charming star. The display of morning, evening and afternoon gowns worn by Miss Ward in this production will delight the heart of every feminine patron.

Added For Free Attraction

CARLYLE BLACKWELL and JUNE ELVIDGE in "THE CRIMSON DOVE"

With Dion Titheradge

Looked in the burning church are the fighting minister and a little baby! Outside the drunken mob of rough mountaineers yell for the minister's death! The mother of the boy urges them on! See this exciting drama and learn what happens next.

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400 FOREIGN ARTISTS AND GORGEOUS ENCHANTING SPECTACLE OF FAIRYLAND MAGNIFICENCE CINDERELLA A \$100,000 PRODUCTION 1250 CHARACTERS—300 DANCING GIRLS IN THE BALLET OF THE FAIRIES—100 MUSICIANS TRAIL LOADS OF SCENERY—WORLD'S BIGGEST STAGE CHILDHOODS GOLDEN DREAMS COME TRUE PARADE AT 10 A. M. PRECEDING THE FIRST PERFORMANCE DOORS OPEN AT 7 P. M. PERFORMANCES BEGIN AT 2 AND 8 P. M. ONE 50c TICKET ADMITS TO ALL DURING THE ENTIRE WEEK

Admission Tickets and Reserved Seat Sale Downtown, Circus Day at 11:45 GETT'S DRUG STORE, 67 MERRIMACK ST. Prices same as at grounds.

ROYAL THEATRE

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY Also Shown

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"THE BIRTH OF A MAN"

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tor of railroad transportation to act with a proposed New England bureau of foods and markets, the council of national defense, the interstate commerce commission and the railways, with power to regulate shipments, facilitate handling and unloading and equalize distribution throughout the New England district.

According to this plan New England would be considered as a unit, for which the problems would be the

transportation, storage and marketing of local New England products. There would be a director, with broad powers of administration and investigation, who would head the New England bureau, which would co-operate with state boards of agriculture, agricultural colleges and other public and private agencies for facilitating distribution. This bureau would be the federal agency for New England. Trolley lines would aid in the

transportation, thus relieving the railroads from purely local demands. Carload shipments would be sent directly to the consuming territory instead of being sent to Boston, Providence, etc., for reshipment to where it was to be used.

The plan proposes surveys to determine normal consumption according to season, etc., as well as inventories of food stores at stated intervals to maintain reserve supplies, and the circulation of weekly bulletins upon stocks, sources, supply, demand, etc.

PARIS, June 6.—A semi-official note says that Marshal Joffre, while in America, had a conference with American military chiefs at which a plan of organization for the new American army was elaborated in agreement with the British leaders. The note says:

"It will surprise none that the marshal took a preponderating part in the revised plan adopted. His collaborators styled him themselves 'the godfather of the American army.'"

"The program for his collaboration has already been drawn up. Marshal Joffre is officially entrusted with the mission of putting constantly at the disposal of our great sister republic what France has learned in three years of hard campaigning."

FEW ARRESTS IN BOSTON Closing of Saloons Yesterday Resulted in Smallest Amount of Drunkenness On Record

BOSTON, June 6.—Compliance by saloon, hotel and restaurant proprietors with the request of Gov. McCall that they suspend the sale of liquor on registration day resulted in the smallest amount of drunkenness on record at police headquarters in this city for a single day. Only 20 arrests for this offense were made at the six downtown stations.

B. U. COMMENCEMENT BOSTON, June 6.—Commencement exercises were held at Boston university today when President Emanuel H. Murlin presented diplomas to 331 graduating students. An address was delivered by Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes of Malden, who spoke on "The Christian College and the Moral Battle."

GERMAN RUTHLESSNESS Indignation Aroused at Conference of Members of Seamen's and Firemen's Union

LONDON, June 6.—At a conference of members of the Seamen's and Firemen's union, yesterday, indignation was aroused by a recital of two recent instances of German ruthlessness in the North sea. In one case a British ship was sunk and 11 members of the crew were killed by shell fire. In the second case, after torpedoing the ship, the Germans fired a surface torpedo through a small boat which was carrying the crew, and a rescuing steamer and killed all on board.

The conference was held to discuss means of carrying out the resolution of the executive committee of the union, of refusing to permit members of the union to man any vessel conveying pacifists to Stockholm or Petrograd unless they signed a guarantee that they would insist on restitution for murder and destruction committed by German submarines.

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In which Miss Bara is to be seen in her greatest success as a "vampire" star.

Ruth Roland in 4th chapter of "The Neglected Wife," and Others

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"MY FIGHTING GENTLEMAN"

Six acts. A story of a hero and a maid, love, duty, the flag and the old South—with a triumphant ending for love.

In the FOXFILM Comedy, "A FOOTLIGHT FLAME."

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Final Episode of "PERILS OF THE SECRET SERVICE"

CROWN THEATRE

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CONVENTION MEMBERS HEAR GOV. M'CALL

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, June 6.—In his address today to the fourth constitutional convention in the history of Massachusetts, Gov. McCall said in part:

"You are meeting today under the inspiring influence of war, and at the first thought it might seem that the time was not propitious for your work. But with all its evils war often brings a quickening perception of conditions. It makes more alert the sense of danger, and experience has shown that under its shadows have been devised some of the most liberal and beneficent reforms of government. We have seen a convincing instance in our own history since our constitution was framed when the country was in the throes of the great revolutionary struggle. The autocratic origin of the present war, sweeping like a devastating conflagration over the whole world, has produced a reaction in favor of popular freedom and those democratic institutions which it was the first purpose of the framers of our constitution to establish.

mine how it may most surely and safely express itself under the conditions of our times.

"We have recently been told that the world must be made safe for democracy. There is a sense in which this expression would not convey quite the proper conception of the world. Democracy is not a fluid flower, an exotic which needs to be sheltered from the winds and storms, but is a strong man, making his way in the face of tempests upon the open heath, having in him all the strength of the race and there is no higher power which can patronize him and make the world safe for him to live in. He would be little attracted to the hothouse or to a fenced and protected enclosure. When democracy fully comes into its own it will hold sway by imperial right and not by the grant and favor of any body and it would perhaps be more true to say that democracy will come into its own not when the world is made safe for it, but when it has made itself safe for the world. It can be made safe by a disavowal of all the old order of organization. From lack of organization it has been compelled more than once to bear the guilt of glaring faults and it has failed to promote the great ends of government. From lack of effective method of expression it has often seemed to be the government of the most violent and the people were untouched and dumb. A few men united can scatter confused counsels in a great mass divided or made up of individuals animated by no common plan or purpose of action. Democracy has been too much regarded as a mere ideal to be proclaimed and not as something which should be shaped to animate and direct practical government in a responsible fashion.

"Men who parade the streets in time of revolution with banners inscribed 'Down With Authority' are not democrats. They are nothing less than assassins of liberty. The last thing they represent is democracy. Democracy is not opposed to authority. In the nature of things it is subject to it and cannot exist without it. But it must be an authority which is essential and inborn and not an authority that is artificial and imposed upon it. A democratic government is one in which the people rule. But their rule must not be arbitrary and subject only to their own desires. It must be based upon justice. The chief purpose of a state is to secure order

under justice. There can be no broad and comprehensive justice without a government of privilege which is itself a system of injustice to great masses of men. The mere counting of people does not establish what is right and what is wrong. For justice in every case cannot rest upon the will of the more numerous or more than upon the will of the stronger.

"A great nation with its armies may overrun a weak one, but the greater relative strength of the oppressor the more heinous is his crime against Heaven; and in the same way in a state, a mass of men may not of right in their organized capacity do injustice even to an individual man.

"You may best provide against injustice by preventing snap judgments and securing to the great mass of the people the opportunity to see and to comprehend what is about to be done. Unless action is preceded by forethought it is likely to be followed by repentance.

"I would impress upon you that the instrument which you are about to revise is the oldest written constitution now in force anywhere in the world. If England is the mother of parliaments, Massachusetts may boast the most ancient frame of government based upon the written word which anywhere exists. It is a matter of mere antiquarian interest. Some of the peoples now engaged in the war, need to be taught that democracy does not mean disorder. To Russia, immersed in the struggle attending the transition from autocracy to democracy, and to the other nations of Europe our history represents an invigorating example of stability, of freedom and of order that conclusively shows that liberty is not license and that the rule of the people does not mean the abrogation of law. It must make a convincing appeal to them that during the century and a half of the life of our constitution there has been no spot upon the globe that has on the whole been better governed, that there has been no place where the door of opportunity has been more equally open to all the children of men, that there has been no state that has better illustrated the blessings of free government, and that has made greater progress in those things that tell for real civilization. While the old order changes and gives place to the new, let us approach with reverence the work of adaptation and realize that that which has served us so well in the past and under which we have grown so great should not lightly be cast aside."

After stating that Massachusetts' constitution is the most brief of those now in force, and expressing the opinion that this is due to the fact that it has always been kept in the form of a declaration of fundamental rights, rather than in the form of statute law, and urging the convention to preserve this happy condition, the governor closed thus:

"And so, gentlemen, the superlative importance of the work you have undertaken justifies the ceremony you are making. What you do here may affect profoundly the future of the commonwealth for generations, and it may profoundly affect also the future of other states and of great populations beyond the sea. If you shall pursue your task with diligence and care, and your work shall be ratified by the people, you will have the proud satisfaction of having rendered your fellow men a service as distinguished as it is unique. It is a happy contrast that you present, when amid the din of arms and the roar of great guns, the earth is shaking the earth and fire is settling the relations of nations to each other, you are attempting to perfect a peaceful mechanism through which justice and reason instead of force may have sway over the destinies of men. May the influence of your example help somewhat to bring about the emancipation of mankind to the end that brute force may be supplanted by reason, and the hideous brutality of war with its vandalism, its murder, its slavery, its ravine, and the other ills which conquerors may be driven from the earth."

FOYE HEARING BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL

At 4.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the municipal council opened the hearing on the removal of Edward H. Foye as purchasing agent, and in the course of the proceedings a surprise was sprung by Deputy Sheriff Stiles, who served notices from the supreme court to the members of the council, ordering them to recognize Robert J. Thomas as the intended of the water works department and Edward H. Foye as purchasing agent. The sheriff also served summonses on Messrs. Brown, Morse and Warnock, notifying them to appear at the hearing as witnesses today. There was nothing of an exciting nature brought out in the course of the hearing, but Mr. Qua, counsel for Mr. Foye, objected to the admission of evidence pertaining to the purchase of food by Mr. Foye from the Merrimack Tea Co., a company which counsel for the three members of the council who were responsible for the removal of Mr. Foye, however, voted to admit all evidence in that regard. The hearing was continued until 5.50 o'clock, at which time adjournment was taken until this morning at 8 o'clock.

At the opening of the hearing Mr. Qua read Mr. Foye's answer to the charges preferred against him. The answer was a denial of the specific charges, that Mr. Foye had bought steel at \$51.05 a ton after the agreement had been made that the price should be \$51.05 a ton. Also this charged bad faith on the part of certain members of the council in their desire and attempt to remove Mr. Foye.

After the reading of the answer the mayor asked what time the hearing would adjourn, and it was agreed to stop at 5.45 o'clock. The first witness called was Samuel Katz, a second hand furniture dealer in Bridge street, who formerly occupied a store at 334 Bridge street. Questioned by Mr. Regan, Mr. Katz started telling the council that the premises formerly occupied by him at 334 Bridge street were later occupied by the Merrimack Tea Co., but at this point Mr. Qua wanted to know what bearing Mr. Katz's testimony would have in the case, and Mr. Regan stated that he was going to show that a tea company under the name of the Merrimack Tea Co. was doing business at that stand and that Mr. Foye and other closing agent purchased tea and other goods from the company for the city, and that he was interested in the company.

Mr. Qua objected on the grounds that there was nothing of the kind mentioned in the case, and Mr. Regan stated that he believed such testimony should not be admitted. On motion of Mr. Brown it was voted to allow Mr. Katz to introduce in evidence pertaining to the Merrimack Tea Co., the

MACMILLAN PARTY CALLS FOR SUPPLIES

NEW YORK, June 6.—The first detailed news from Donald M. Macmillan, head of the so-called Crockerland expedition, announcing that his companions had only enough supplies to last them until August of this year, and urging that another relief ship be sent to them, was received here yesterday by Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn, president of the American Museum of Natural History and chairman of the Crockerland committee. It was announced that the steam seal vessel Neptune, chartered recently by the committee, probably would sail about July 1 from Nova Scotia for the relief of the expedition.

Although the expedition has been one of the costliest on record, it is said that from a scientific viewpoint the results have fully justified the expenditure. While Crockerland, which Rear Admiral Peary believed he saw, proved to be a mirage, the Macmillan party discovered six new islands, mapped and explored Finlay island and gathered geographical, botanical, archeological and ethnological material of great importance.

The message from Macmillan, which was written about the middle of February, was transmitted through the American minister at Copenhagen by Dr. Harrison L. Hunt of Bangor, Me., surgeon of the expedition, who left the Macmillan party and reached Godhavn in the Faroe islands, a company with W. D. Emser Fitch, the expedition geologist and representative of the University of Illinois.

MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
NEW YORK, June 6.—Meetings of sections for the discussion of special medical and surgical subjects were begun today by the delegates attending the annual convention of the American medical association.

JUST WHAT SHE NEEDED
When women complain of wearying headaches and similar ailments, they accept those troubles as their lot because they are women, when the ailments may be the results of disordered kidneys. Mrs. Mary V. Bunker, Milton-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., writes of Foley Kidney Pills: "Just what I needed. I had backache, \$15 Middlesex st., Moody's Drug Store, 201 Central st."

TODAY'S HEARING
At the opening of this morning's session at 8.15 o'clock City Auditor Paige was sworn in as temporary clerk in the absence of the city clerk. Mr. Regan resumed the reading of bills for merchandise purchased from the Merrimack Tea Co. In concluding Mr. Regan said some of the bills are not printed, while others are and they bear the address, 334 Bridge street. Handed to the city clerk by the New England Structural Co., which has supplied the steel for the new high school, was called by Mr. Qua and he produced letters taken from the files of the company. One letter, dated June 8, 1916, was sent to the company from Henry L. Bourke, another dated July 1, was from the J. R. Worcester Co. to the New England Structural Co. The fourth letter was dated Aug. 10, and was from the New England Structural Co. to Mr. Bourke. Other letters exchanged between the above parties and Mr. Foye were also produced.

William J. Reardon of the assessors' office was called by Mr. Regan. He said he has been in the office since 1893 and chief clerk since 1905. He said he has examined the state records on corporations and failed to find anything about the Merrimack Tea Co. He produced the assessors' books for 1915 and 1916, and in 1916 at 234 Bridge street there was stock in trade valued at \$100 in the name of Sam Katz and in 1915 stock valued at \$750 in the name of A. T. Keefe of Salem.

Q.—Have you any assessment against Arthur H. Foye in 1916?
A.—Yes sir.
Q.—How much and for what?
A.—\$250 for an automobile.
At this point Mr. Reardon was excused for a few minutes, and Mr.

LOWELL SUBSCRIPTIONS TO LIBERTY LOAN

The six banks and trust companies interested in the Liberty Loan proposition reported at the close of business last night an aggregate actually subscribed of \$1,616,000. Added to this should be 12 companies of \$288,000 which have been subscribed through Boston sources from Lowell.

The Lowell Liberty Loan committee finds the local demand for the bonds to be tremendously increasing. The industries are beginning to report the results of the campaigns among their employees, the great majority of whom are to pay for the bonds out of their earnings in the coming weeks, the employees financing the bond purchases in the meantime. More than 3,000 employees are included in the returns from the 12 companies reporting, including the United States Cartridge Co., which heads the list with 765 individual subscriptions, totalling \$50,500; the Merrimack Manufacturing Co., with 750 individual subscriptions, totalling \$15,300; the Boot mills, Massachusetts notations, the United States Bunting Co., Lowell Gas Light corporation, Lowell Bleachery, International Steel & Ordnance Co., Lamson Co., Massachusetts Mohair Plush Co., Whitall Manufacturing Co., Belvidere woolen mills and Stirling mills.

TEACHERS ORGANIZATION

The Lowell Teachers Organization held its last meeting of the season in the Green school house yesterday afternoon, the teachers of the Green school district being the hostesses.

Miss Helen A. Bangor, entertained the teachers with a reading of the organization by storm, her original monologs being especially liked.

Miss Jennie L. Allen, the retiring president, in her annual report referred to a statement coming from a member of the state board of education, that Lowell has become one of the leading centres of University Extension work, and this is due to the efforts of the Teachers Organization.

Miss Mary F. Devine, who was elected president of the organization at an earlier meeting, now takes charge of the work, and the first meeting of the coming season will be in September.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS
WASHINGTON, June 6.—Confederate veterans today entered upon the second day of the 27th annual reunion with a strenuous program of activities ahead, an important part of which were the annual memorial exercises for the Confederate dead at Arlington cemetery.

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14 PERSONS KILLED BY TORNADOES

KANSAS CITY, Mo. June 6.—Tornadoes last night caused the death of 14 persons, the injury of half a hundred and much property damage in Missouri and Kansas, despatches from various sections today showed.

FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was given recently to Mr. John Kennedy of the United States Cartridge Co. at the Falconer camp at Willowdale. Mr. Kennedy is about to leave for France for military duty, and his fellow employees from the printing department gathered to express their wishes for his success. A supper was served and an interesting program carried out. Among those who took part were George Canby, Joseph Grady, Martin Calhoun, Jas. McCann, Misses Emily Nolan, Ernest Hunt, Helen Gennery, Gertrude and Mabel Smith and Gussie Duffy. The accompanists were Helen O'Connor and Patrick Flannery. During the evening a collection was presented to Mr. Kennedy by Joseph Grady on behalf of these present.

RECRUITING OF ITALIANS

Unnaturalized Will Be Called by Italian Government While Naturalized Will Join U. S. Colors
WASHINGTON, June 6.—Details of an agreement under which unnaturalized Italian in the United States may be recruited by the Italian government while naturalized Italians will be left to help American agriculture and industries, were today in the hands of General Guglielmo, military attaché of the Italian mission, to be worked out with American officials. The mission today conferred with government officials and will attempt to finish its work by the end of the week before starting on a tour of American cities.

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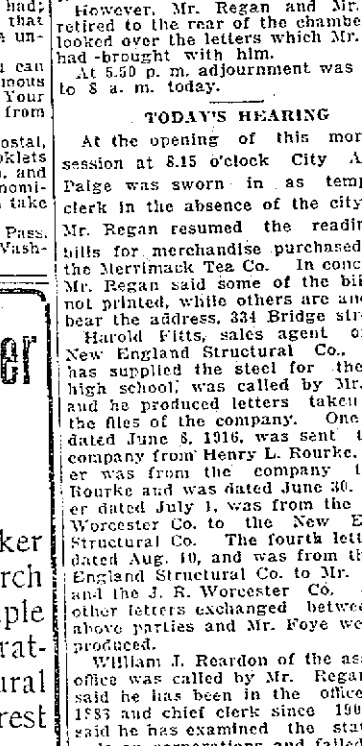
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